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INTRODUCTION.

Nowhere in the State of Maine can be found more beautiful and varied scenery than presents itself in the rugged landscape of the celebrated Oxford Hills bordering the upper valley of the Androscoggin. The surface of the three towns of which we treat is beautifully varied by precipitous hills, with their peaks generally covered with evergreen forest trees, quiet lakes nestling at their feet, and rushing brooks and hillside torrents wending their way to the noble river which surrounds this section to the north and east.

This section of Maine was not entered by civilization, except for hunting and trapping, for many decades after the formation of permanent settlements along the coast, and on the lower courses of the great river highways. Gradually, as the native Indian tribes retreated or became weakened by the loss of numbers, the ambitious and progressive white men ventured farther up the river courses or penetrated the

great unbroken wilderness; thus gradually but steadily pushing forward the pioneer line, and forcing backward the old order of native ownership of the soil and its common possession by a race which seemed to delight both in the liberties of peace, and the vicissitudes of war.

During the last twenty years of the eighteenth century many townships in Oxford county and the interior of Maine were granted or sold to men who sought them for the privileges of making for themselves and their families homes where they should be at peace, and enjoy the liberties so dearly and heroically bought. Settlement was made in Buckfield in 1777, in Sumner soon after the close of the American Revolution, and in the towns farther north and west very soon following. This was the beginning of a period of remarkable growth and development in this section of the State, which we shall briefly follow in this account as they are related to the towns of which we write.

HISTORY OF WOODSTOCK

EARLY SETTLEMENT.

Not until settlements had been made in all of the surrounding towns did the rugged tract of land now included within Woodstock, Greenwood, Albany, and Milton, and what was formerly Franklin plantation, attract the attention of settlers. Fryeburg, on the Saco river, was settled in 1762, the first settlement in Oxford county. Bethel had a settler in 1773 and Waterford in 1775. Buckfield was settled in 1777, Paris two years later, and Rumford in 1780, Sumner in 1783, Norway in 1786 and Peru in 1793, but up to this time none ventured to make a home within the territory thus surrounded. This offered to those engaged in hunting, fishing and trapping, a "happy hunting ground" but not so to the man who must till the soil for his living. Thus it was that the place became frequented by those of the former class before 1795.

The thrifty settlements at No. 4, (Paris) and at New Penacook (Rumford), being separated by a distance of about twenty miles wished better connection than was offered by the single foot path, so in 1795, they jointly petitioned the Court of General Sessions for the location of a road that should connect the two settlements. This petition was granted and a committee consisting of John

Greenwood, Nath. C. Allen, Isaac Parsons, Ichabod Bonney and Peleg Chandler was appointed to locate the road which was soon after built. This, the first road built through Number Three as the township was then called, generally agreed with the present well traveled road crossing the western section of the town.

Christopher and Solomon Bryant, Jr., sons of one of the settlers in Paris were already familiar with the attractions offered by the region around Long Pond, as Bryant's Pond was then called, where they had spent much time fishing and hunting. According to their wishes to locate, with another brother and several brothers-in-law, in this region, they employed one Thomas Joycelin, of Buckfield, to lay out ten lots of one hundred acres each, five on each side of the new county road. This was in the spring of 1797, and it was during the following summer that the Bryant brothers made the first clearings. The following year they returned from Paris where they spent the winter, burned their clearings and erected log houses. In October they came with their families and household goods, and on the twelfth of November the wife of Christopher Bryant gave birth to her first child, a son, who was named Christopher, Jr., and was the first white child born in town.

In the spring of 1799, Luther Briggs, a brother-in-law of the Bryants, brought his family into town, and the same summer, Jacob Whitman, Jr., of Buckfield, brought his wife to the settlement, locating on the present town farm. Luke Owens, an Irishman, made a clearing on the Morton Curtis farm where he lived four or five years and then removed to

Paris. Levi Berry, from Buckfield, fell an opening on lot No. 11 in the west part of Woodstock. In the fall of 1799 Samuel Bryant built a cabin on what is known as The "Common" lot, and moved in. In 1800 Levi Berry married a sister of the Bryants and established a home on his clearing. Luther Whitman, a brother of Jacob, and probably Asa Thurlow from Buckfield and John Nason from Paris, moved in during the year, making a total population of nine families in town during the winter of 1800-01, not reckoning Owens.

At this juncture a change in the ownership of these lands was made by the acceptance of the western half of the township by the Trustees of Dummer Academy in fulfillment of a grant of a half-township to that institution by the Massachusetts legislature. On March 5, 1800, the committee on the sale of eastern lands conveyed the grant to the Trustees, and this became known as the "Dummer Academy Grant." But on the thirteenth of the following October the Trustees sold the grant to Michael Little of Poland for the sum of $6240. Mr. Little employed Alexander Greenwood, of Hebron, to run out the land into lots ready for settlement. He treated liberally the few settlers whom he found already occupying his lands, realizing perhaps that their presence would aid him in fulfilling the conditions of the grant.

In the fall of 1801 Stephen Chase, who had been in Mr. Little's employ, came here with his brother Merrill, to select homestead lots. Stephen selected lot 33 and Merrill lot 29, being adjoining lots situated South-easterly from the one afterwards selected by David Ricker, known as the "Ricker

Farm." The following March they moved their families to the clearings which they made during the fall. For five years after he came to town Stephen kept a journal which today throws much light on life as it was lived in those trying days. Noah Curtis moved to lot No. 10 in 1804 and his son Morton, to lot No. 15, the following year.

Soon after the settlement in the west part of Woodstock was made a section two lots wide was surveyed the width of the half-township on Paris line by John K. Smith. These lots were of different sizes, and in number some twelve or fifteen. Abraham and Jonathan Walton settled upon two of these lots, and the former, if not the latter was here in 1801. Mr. A. Hutchinson, and also Mr. E. Hutchinson, occupied two other lots. Another was taken up by one Mr. Reniff. Benj. Forbes bought lot No. 7, according to Smith's survey, in 1804 and soon after John Gray and John Starbird bought two adjacent lots; the two last named lots in 1825, were annexed to Paris.

The eastern half of the township was, on June 23, 1803, granted by the legislature of Massachusetts to the Trustees of Gorham Academy, including the portion already settled. The stated conditions being met by the Trustees, they employed Lothrop Lewis and Matthew Cobb a committee to run out the land. The grant was surveyed in 1806 by Gen. James Irish of Gorham, afterwards Land Agent of Maine. In this, as in the survey of the "Thousand Acres" in the west part, the previous survey of a few lots was not disturbed. Soon after the survey was made, that is in 1807, the entire grant was sold to James H. Chadbourne and

twenty others, mostly citizens of Gorham, for the sum of $10,000. These proprietors divided the land among themselves, and afterwards sold it out to settlers.

But these lands were not attractive to the men seeking homesteads, consequently these settlements increased slowly. In the spring of 1804, Cornelius Perkins came from Paris to lot No. 6 in the east part, and was the first settler in the school district which has continued to bear his name since its formation. Other settlers in the eastern grant were Geo. Townsend, Lazarus Rand, David Rand, Benaiah Dow, Lydia Dunham and sons, and Luther Dudley's sons, of whom Josiah was the oldest.

Others in the western grant who had taken up lots there prior to the organization of the plantation were David Ricker, Jr., who came to No. Three in 1803; John True who bought lot No. 21 about 1801, in 1807 he sold to Enoch Hammond; Wm. Swan from Paris, in 1802; also his son of the same name who came the same year; Jotham Perham, of Paris, in 1808; James Nutting; Edward Lothrop; Rowse Bisbee, from Sumner about 1808, erected a mill; Levi Drew, Joshua Felt, 1810; Lemuel Perham and Lemuel Perham, Jr. We have endeavored to mention the men who were located within the township as permanent settlers up to the time of the organization of the plantation in 1812, further than this we shall be unable to trace the settlement of the town. At this time there were forty-two families living in Number Three.

ORGANIZATION AND INCORPORATION

Number Three was organized a plantation for taxation purposes on March 23rd, 1812, when the inhabitants met at the home of Noah Curtis. Stephen Chase was chosen to preside over the gathering, and Merrill Chase to keep its records, as plantation clerk. The board of assessors chosen consisted of Cornelius Perkins, Merrill Chase and Jotham Perham. Christopher Bryant was made collector, with Luther Briggs and Oliver Colburn his "sureties." This board of officers was re-chosen the following year, except the collector, who was underbidden by Cornelius Perkins, The third year the same board served. As this was the last year of the plantation government it is seen that it was served by but one board of officers.

A meeting was held April 4th, 1814, "to see if the plantation will petition the General Court for an act of incorporation." This petition met the approval of the Court, and the act incorporating Number Three a town by the name of Woodstock was approved by the Governor, Feb. 7, 1815. The first warrant was issued by Albion K. Parris, of Paris, who seven years later was elected to thegovernor's chair. The warrant was directed to Seth Curtis, a freehold inhabitant.

The town meeting called for the election of the first board of town officers was holden at Noah Curtis' house on March 20, following the passing of the act. Mr. Rowse Bisbee was selected moderator and Stephen Chase clerk. Cornelius Perkins, Alex Day, and John Billings composed

the first board of selectmen, while John Gray, Jr., Richard Green and Josiah Dudley were elected assessors. Seth Curtis became treasurer, Luther Whitman, collector and constable. Other necessary town officers were chosen, including tythingmen and school-committeemen. Thus we see this town admitted among her sister towns as one of the legal municipal bodies of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. In the move for the separation of the District of Maine and its establishment as an independent state we find the new town very enthusiastic, in fact, the voice of the people, shown by the forty votes cast on the question July 20, 1819, was unanimously in its favor.

Several minor changes have been made in the boundaries of Woodstock since its incorporation. In 1825 John Gray, Jr., and John Starbird, with their estates, were set off from this town to Paris. In 1827 the estate of Daniel Curtis was set off from the town of Paris and annexed to Woodstock. In 1873 James Russ, with his estate, consisting of one and one-half lots, was set off from Milton Plantation to the town of Woodstock. In 1873 a larger acquisition was made by the annexation of Hamlin's Gore to this town; of this tract we shall treat in another connection. In 1880 Caleb Fuller's estate was re-annexed to Paris. Superior school privileges and close business relations with Paris were the chief motives assigned.

HAMLIN'S GORE

When the western half of this township was surveyed in 1799, for the Trustees of Dummer Academy, a spotted line marked by sable hunters was mistaken for the Bethel line and was made, instead of the Bethel South line, to form one side of the grant. When the mistake was discovered it was found there was a strip of land lying between the two grants which was included in neither. This was surveyed by David Noyes, Esq., of Norway, and was found to contain about 1,400 acres, bounded by Woodstock, Greenwood, Bethel and Milton Plantation. This gore he divided into thirteen lots, unequal in size, also including a large part of North Alder River Pond at the southwest corner. On the 26th of February, 1816, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts deeded this land to Dr. Cyrus Hamlin of Paris, for the sum of $600. Dr. Hamlin soon after sold an undivided half of the land to John Daniels, of Paris. Steps were made for its immediate settlement.

The first settler here was Jonathan T. Clifford, son of Joseph, of Woodstock. He had previously erected a log house on the shore of the pond, then known as "Clifford Pond," but on April 2, 1816, he purchased a part of lot No. 9. He left the place prior to 1827. Two other early settlers were Asa and Caleb B. Barrows, who took the triangular shaped lot, No. ten, and erected two log houses near the Greenwood line. Caleb, who was a son of Asa, lived in his log house until about 1841 when he removed to Linneus. He was a soldier of the War of 1812. Tilden

Bartlett moved to the Gore quite early from Paris, purchasing lots seven and eight. A few years later he sold his lands to his brother Sylvanus, and removed across the line into Bethel. John Buck, of Buckfield, bought lot No. 11 and occupied it. Issac and his son Geo. W. Cummings came to lot No. 9, from Greenwood. Porter and Peter Kimball, sons of Peter, of Bridgton, came to the Gore about 1815. Peter located on lot No. 1, but Porter finally began a clearing just over the Bethel line. Peter was probably the second actual settler on the Gore. Later his brother, Jonathan, settled on No. 2. Josiah Moody, of Portland, settled lot No. 5. Other lots were purchased but were not settled until some time later.

Hamlin's Gore was first organized in 1826 when a board of plantation officers was chosen at a meeting held at the house of Peter Kimball. Regular plantation government was maintained until the Gore was annexed to Woodstock, in 1873. An attempt was made in 1833 for its annexation to this town but apparently no great effort was made for its success. In 1847 a project was started by Phineas Frost and others, of Bethel, for the incorporation of a new town made up of the east part of Bethel, Milton Plantation and the Gore, but the plan was stoutly opposed by the Gore and was defeated. Under the plantation organization taxes were comparatively low, a school district was maintained and the roads were kept in tolerably good shape. The object in its final annexation to a larger body was that a disgraceful, licensed liquor shop, kept by John B. Merrill, formerly a trader at Bryant's Pond, who had removed to the

Bailey farm in the Gore, should be abolished. Under the protection of the licensing board of the plantation, of which he was one, he sold large quantities of liquor which he purchased of the State Liquor Agency. Other methods were tried to force him out of the business but all were failures until the last chance, that of annexing the plantation to the temperance town of Woodstock was acted upon and achieved. Soon after Merrill found his lucrative business taken from him he removed from the town, owing the State liquor agent quite a large sum, for which the inhabitants of the Gore were held responsible and the collection of which was enforced by legal process. By the annexation of the Gore to the town of Woodstock we find No. 3 once again united, with minor changes, as it was before the Academy grants, the first survey for which, by an error, had caused the separation of the Gore from the body of the town for nearly three-quarters of a century.

TOWN OFFICIALS SINCE 1875

CLERKS

C. R. Houghton, 1875-85; Alden Chase, 1886-95; H. J. Libby, 1896-98; N. I. Swan, 1899-1905.

TREASURERS.

Alden Chase, 1875; James L. Bowker, 1876-1905.

SELECTMEN.

1875—O. C. Houghton, T. R. Day, Sam'l Russ.
1876—Alden Chase, S. G. Wyman, G. G. Dow.
1877—S. G. Wyman, G. G. Dow, W. H. Pearsons.
1878—S. G. Wyman, G. G. Dow, A. L. Rowe.
1879—G. G. Dow, A. L. Rowe, Otis Dudley.
1880—G. G. Dow, T. R. Day, S. L. Russ.
1881—T. R. Day, S. L. Russ, S. B. Curtis.
1882-83—S. L. Russ, S. B. Curtis, S. Dudley.
1884—S. L. Russ, H. H. Cushman, O. S. Dudley.
1885-90—S. L. Russ, O. S. Dudley, H. H. Cushman.
1891-95—S. L. Russ, O. S. Dudley, W. S. Davis.
1896—O. S. Dudley, G. L. Cushman, R. L. Cummings.
1897—O. S. Dudley, G. L. Cushman, W. H. Lurvey.
1898-1901—G. L. Cushman, W. H. Lurvey, H. C. Bacon.
1902—W. H. Lurvey, H. C. Bacon, Elbridge Crooker.
1903—W. H. Lurvey, H. C. Bacon, Jas. M. Day.
1904—H. C. Bacon, Jas. M. Day, John A. Titus.
1905—H. C. Bacon, G. E. Stevens, D. O. Dudley.

MANUFACTURING

The earliest saw-mill in town was built by Rowse Bisbee, in 1808, on the brook near the Abel Bacon place; this he sold to James Nutting, in 1812, later it passed into the hands of Capt Samuel Stephens, and was finally taken down

in 1834 or 1835. Samuel H. Houghton built a saw-mill at the foot of Bryant's Pond at an early date; this was operated by various parties for thirty or forty years, then allowed to decay. Merrill Chase built the first mill and was the first settler in Sigotch. Rowse Bisbee, about 1820, built a saw-mill on the right hand side of the Rumford road, at Pinhook, and afterwards built a grist mill at the foot of Billings Hill. Other early mills were built on the streams in town but the power was not generally sufficient to operate them the year round. Most of these sites have been abandoned. Ziba Andrews built a mill in the south part of the town about 1827, which site has been occupied ever since. About 1840 a clover mill was built on the brook North of Pinhook, and was operated by Horatio G. Russ.

About 1875 a spool factory was erected at Bryant's Pond, the town contributing largely toward the erection of the buildings. Other manufacturing industries have been established, generally for the manufacture of lumber or wooden articles; a corn canning factory is also successfully operated here.

The general occupation of the citizens is the cultivation of their rugged fields, but the soil is found to be fertile and productive.

Stephens Mills, or Woodstock Corner, was for several years the business centre of the town. John R. Briggs began trading here about 1824, at which time the first post-office was established in Woodstock, and was kept by Mr. Briggs until 1830 when he was succeeded by Eleazer Shaw. Mr. Shaw was succeeded by Welcome Kinsley in 1837, not

long after which, business having declined, the postoffice was moved to Andrew's Mill, which was then becoming the central place of business. Something of a village also sprung up at North Woodstock, or Pinhook, where a postoffice was established in 1847, with John M. Gallison postmaster.

It was not until the Atlantic and St. Lawrence Railroad was extended through this town, in 1851, that Bryant's Pond Village was brought into existance, but there very soon sprung up around the railroad station a lively business interest, and the neat though modest homes which have been erected here now form a beautiful village community which is both a pride and an honor to the town. A postoffice was established here the same year the railroad was completed.

MILITARY ACCOUNT

One familiar with the town of Woodstock during the period of its development, and who, from being a non-resident, had no reason to be partial, has said "In propotion to its population, no town in the County has developed as many efficient military men as Woodstock, and this town was indeed fortunate in the number and merit of its field officers." The breaking out of the War of 1812 created much enthusiasm, and a company of Infantry was

organized April 11, 1812, with Jotham Perham, Captain; Lemuel Perham, Jr., Lieutenant; and Edward Lothrop, Ensign. In Sept. 1814, this Company was ordered to the defense of Portland, which it was feared would suffer an attack by the British. They served in Lieut. Wm. Ryerson's Regiment, and, besides the time occupied in traveling to and from Portland, were in the service eleven days. The Company was made up as follows: J. Perham, Captain; Lemuel Perham, Jr., Lieut.; Alex Day, Samuel Bryant, Seth Curtis and Josiah Dudley, Sergeants; Gideon Swan, Musician; and Christopher Bryant, Luther Briggs, Solomon Bryant, Morton Curtis, Noah Curtis, Jr., Jno T. Clifford, Wm. Cotton, Aaron Davis, Moses Dudley, Samuel Dunham, Consider Fuller, Enoch Hammond, Wm. Swan, Amos Thurlow, Otis Townsend, David Rand, and Jacob Whitman, Privates. Beside this company several citizens served in other companies: Chas. Curtis, Joseph Cole, Daniel Dacy, Joshua Young, Thayer Townsend, Christopher Bryant, Solomon Bryant, Jr., John R. Briggs, and Thos. Farrar, as well as several of Captain Perham's men served in Paris companies. In all there were thirty-one that served during the autumn at Portland, a list including a majority of the heads of families of Woodstock. Others who served in the forces afterwards took up lots in this town or on the Gore. Of these men Caleb B. Barrows, Geo. W. Cummings and Moses Cummings, saw active service before the enemy at Shadague and Plattsburg.

Of the training days succeeding the close of the War of 1812, up to the year 1845, when the law enforcing military

drill was repealed, we can devote little space, but to the citizens these were among the most enjoyable of the year, filling the place, in a way, of the modern town or county fair.

The citizens of Woodstock were ever devoted to freedom and good government, and by the large majority given Lincoln in 1860, substantially expressed their anti-slavery sentiments. When the call to arms sounded the following spring, and at other calls, this town was found no less patriotic than it had appeared at the voting booth. The following is a list of the men who enlisted during the service from this town.

In the First Regiment: Chas. W. Farnham, Thorndike H. Sawyer, Lewis H. Stevens, Wm. F. Jewell, and Nathan C. Knapp. Second Reg.: Anson G. Bowker. Fifth Reg.: Philip Abbott, Horace C. Berry, Corp., Caleb Bessee, Jr., Geo. W. Ricker, Ezra Ridlon, Fessenden Swan, Cyrus Thurlow, Enoch Whittemore, Jr., Alanson M. Whitman. Eighth Reg.: Andrew Jackson, Wm. W. Leavitt. Ninth Reg.; S. C. Farnham, Chas. G. Perkins, Corp. Tenth Reg.: H. C. Berry, Corp., Luther Briggs, Henry F. Cole, Jos. W. Cummings, Aaron D. Cotton, Amos S. Bryant, Alpheus Fuller, Wm. H. Fuller, Levi D. Jewell, Isaac F. Lapham, Fessenden Swan, Edw. K. Young, Jas. L. Perham. Twelfth Reg.: John H. Abbott, Chas. D. Rowe, James Russ, and Jas. P. Russ. Thirteenth Reg.: Samuel Robbins, Leander S. Swan. Sixteenth Reg.: Gilbert M. L. Whitman. Seventeenth Reg.: Hiram Andrews, Luther B. Farnum, Wm. F. Harding, Chas. P. Jackson, Alvin H. Marr, Dustin B. Ricker, Geo. W. Whit-

man, Barnet Thorn. Twentieth Reg.: Caleb Bessee, Jr., Geo. H. York. Twenty-third Reg.: John L. Noyes, Galen G. Bowker, Jos. H. Davis, Wm. F. Jewell, Gilman A. Whitman, Consider F. Farrar, Albert Green, Henry Jordan, Jr., Robt. B. Taylor, Thos. J. Whitman, Wm. B. Lapham, promoted Lieutenant. Twenty-ninth Reg.: Horace C. Berry, Sergt., Henry F. Cole. Thirtieth Reg.: Robert H. Doughty. Thirty-first Reg.: Oscar F. Whitman, Chas H. Packard. Thirty-second Reg.: Chas. H. Chase, Wm. F. Jewell, Nath. H. Fuller, Chas. W. Farnum, Oscar F. Whitman, John E. Lapham. Fifth Battery: Cyrus A. Andrews, Samuel W. Benson, Wm. H. Proctor. Seventh Battery: Wm. B. Lapham 1st Lieut., Alfred H. Briggs, John M. Bryant, Lorenzo Billings, Chas. M. Bixby, Alpheus Fuller, Levi D. Jewell, Jas. B. Mason, Jas. H. Pratt, Albert Billings. Ezra Ridlon, Jr., Francis F. Stevens, Luther Briggs and Isaac F. Lapham. First Maine Sharpshooters: Chas. B. Bessee.

Besides the above several men enlisted from Hamlin's Gore, since annexed to Woodstock. Wm. H. Pearson served in the 10th and 29th Maine; Oliver Millet, in the 31st; John A. Buck, in the 10th; Eben A. Kimball, in the 10th; Stephen L. Ethridge, in the 27th; Chas H. and Geo. Buck, in the 15th.

Other Woodstock men were James M. Lapham, three years in the 36th Mass. Regiment; George L. Berry, Mass. volunteer, was shot in action; N. B. Whitman served in a Wisconsin Regiment, and died of wounds or disease.

RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATIONS.

BAPTISTS.

Soon after the settlement of this town the settlers turned their attention to the formation of a religious organization. But prior to the organization of any society devotional services were held in private homes on the Sabbath day. The first preaching services were held as early as 1802. Mr. Chase records in his journal, under date of Sept. 4, 1802, that he "went to meeting at Luther Whitman's." Elder Tripp of Hebron was often the preacher but the names of Mr. Low, Mr. Woodward, Mr. Chase, Elder Hooper and others are also mentioned as early preachers or exhorters on the occasion of public worship.

A branch of the Baptist church in Paris was organized here some years after the first services were held. The names of the first members were Wm. and Deborah Berry, Jacob and Dorcas Whitman, Luther Whitman, Calvin Cole, Christopher Bryant, Stephen Chase, Ephraim Drake, Lydia and Tabitha Briggs, Bethiah Swan, Sally Bryant, and Betsey Cole. Nineteen new members were soon after added as the result of a revival.

For many years this was the only organized church in Woodstock and enjoyed the support and attendance of most of the families of the town. In 1828 this branch of the Paris Church became an independent organization, THE PARIS AND WOODSTOCK CHURCH, and seems to have been generally ministered to by Elder Jacob Whitman, a licensed local

preacher. Luther Perkins, who became the first ordained pastor, in 1844, served the church for several years previous to that time. Reuben Milner, Addison Abbott and C. Perkins were also settled over this society, and Rev. Z. Andrews, a local preacher, filled the pulpit many years when it was not otherwise filled. Other ministers here have been Revs. M. Lawrence, R. B. Andrews, O. Richardson, Wm. Beavins, H. C. Estes, D. D., T. J. Lyons, and others. The meeting house was located at Paris Harbor.

The Woodstock and Greenwood church was organized in 1830, holding its meetings generally in the Bryant neighborhood, in Greenwood, but sometimes in the Whitman school-house in Woodstock. No church edifice was ever erected by the society, which was disorganized in 1855, and its members became members of the Bryant's Pond Baptist Church organized that year. Reuben Milner was pastor here in 1843 to 1845. Rev. David Ricker preached several years and was formally ordained pastor in 1853 or 1854 serving until the disorganization, when he became pastor of the new society.

The Hamlin's Gore Baptist church was organized in 1827 and continued until this also merged into the Bryant's Pond church upon its organization. The membership in 1828 was 35. Rev. Ransom Dunham was settled pastor in 1837, serving until 1844 during which time his faithful labors were rewarded as is shown by the increase in membership which was nearly one hundred at the time he discontinued his pastorate. Rev. Robert Goud was pastor at the time of the disorganization.

The Bryant's Pond Baptist church was organized in 1855-6, its membership being made up of the two societies last mentioned, and some from the Paris and Woodstock church. A convenient church edifice was erected at Bryant's Pond and dedicated in 1856. Rev. David Ricker became the first pastor in which position he has been succeeded by Revs. M. Lawrence, Z. Morton, W. Beavins, T. J. Swett, A. Morton, J. C. Tucker, A. C. Herrick, T. G. Lyons, Seth Benson, E. C. Goodwin, J. H. Littlefield, and H. A. Brown, the latter in 1903. Rev. Seth Benson has been pastor at several different periods, the last in 1898.

THE METHODISTS.

It was not until about 1814 that any religious movement aside from that made by the Baptists was made in town. The families of David Ricker and Noah Curtis were the first followers of John Wesley to take up their abode here. Soon others of this faith joined them, and near the above date the first Methodist Class was formed by Rev. John Adams. A society was later organized. Woodstock has never been a charge by itself but has been connected with Bethel, Rumford and Paris. In 1856 the Methodists and Free Baptists erected a meeting house in the lower part of the town near Andrews Mills. Later the Free Baptists erected a house of worship at West Paris and the Methodists became the exclusive owners of the church in Woodstock. The Methodists also had an interest in the church built mostly by the Baptists at Bryant's Pond, this they occupied one-fourth of the time.

A long list of preachers have filled the pulpit for this denomination, changes being made every year during the early days of its activity. Of those who have preached here during the last fifty-five years we would mention Revs. Joseph Mooar, J. L. Frazier, A. Turner, Geo. Briggs, Levi Eldredge, R. H. Ford, Mr. Fogg, J. Collins, E. Gerry, G. B. Hannaford, A. H. Witham, I. A. Bean, I. W. Smith, F. W. Snell, A. K. Bryant, J. H. Rounds and E. F. Doughty.

UNIVERSALISTS.

The Woodstock Universalist Church was organized in Feb. 1843, by Rev. D. T. Stevens. At that time a three days meeting was held after which thirteen persons were baptized. The society consisted of sixteen members, many of whom were members of the Perham, Dudley, or Day families. A church was erected at Bryant's Pond in 1852-3, being dedicated Feb. 2, the latter year. This was the first church erected in town, and the first one in Oxford County, north of Norway, owned exclusively by this denomination. Various preachers were employed here until 1867, when Rev. E. W. Coffin became the first settled pastor. At this time a parsonage was purchased by several of the members. Mr. Coffin remained but a year, removing to Orange, Mass. Rev. J. F. Simmons, then of Bethel, preached here in connection with his Bethel charge. Rev. L. H. Tabor was settled pastor here for a long period extending down to 1890, and Rev. F. E. Wheeler was pastor in 1892 and 1893. The pulpit is now vacant.

Besides the above named societies we find mention of a

society of Free Baptists, organized in 1843, during the Millerite movement which doctrine at that time was being preached in town, and which got quite a following until after the date set for the coming of the end of this terrestrial life. The membership soon decreased, however, and within eighteen months the organized society became extinct. A few styling themselves Second Advents are found in town, the outgrowth of this movement, but by no means of the same faith.

EDUCATION

Whether the early settlers of Woodstock were familiar with the advantages offered by free public schools we are unable to say, but one thing seems to be certain and that is that they were not over-zealous in their establishment and support in the new community. Mr. Lapham, in his history of Woodstock, says "The neglect to raise money for educational purposes can be accounted for only on the score of poverty." The plantation had been organized two years before any appropriation was made for schools. Sums must be raised for necessary purposes, and it is apparent that, to their minds at least, this was not one of the necessary objects. There were around one hundred scholars in town at the time the first school was opened in 1814 or 1815. $100 was voted for this purpose in the spring of 1814 and the plantation was then divided into school districts by the

assessors so it is very probable that there were schools established that year. At this time five districts were laid out. Two years later another districting was made laying out the same number of districts but with many changes. In 1820 and again in 1822, the town was re-districted, the latter year eight districts being formed. Frequent changes were made later as the settlements increased in certain localities, or decreased in others. Districts nine and ten were later formed in territory which at this time had no inhabitants.

In 1822 there were but three families in district number four, all located at the head of Bryant's Pond, and it was not until 1857 that a school house was erected in this district. This is now the village district and its many scholars are well provided with suitable school privileges at the successful graded school and the regular free high school.

Whatever may have been the neglect or inattention of the early voters in Woodstock to the subject of education such is not the case to-day, the excellent work performed by the many successful teachers who have been reared and educated in the public schools of Woodstock attests to the fact that they have long been doing efficient work. The High School held at Bryant's Pond, established about thirty years ago, offers an opportunity to the young men and women of the town, and surrounding towns, to follow advanced studies without leaving their homes for the purpose.

HISTORY OF SUMNER

BUTTERFIELD TOWNSHIP, NOS. 6 AND 7.

FIRST PETITION FOR GRANT OF LAND.

To the Honorable, the Senate, and the Honorable, the House of Representatives of the Common Wealth of the Massachusetts Bay, In general Court assembled.

The Petition of Samuel Butterfield of Dunstable, for himself, and in behalf of several persons here after named. For a tract of land now the property of this State, lying and being in the County of Cumberland and joining (has) Northerly Lands Petitioned for by Abijah Buck and others, and Northeasterly of No. Four (Paris). To the value of six miles square or a sufficient number of Acres for a town to be laid out as agreeable to your Petitioners as maybe—upon such consideration, or for such a sum as you in your Wisdom shall think best for the good of this State, your Petitioners Being Desirous of Making a Settlement on Said Land if granted, which not only would be a Benefit to them-Selves but to the Community at Large and the Wilderness become a fruitful field your Petitioners relying on your Wisdom, care and Tenderness Pray the Above Said Lands may be granted as you in your Great Wisdom may Direct.

Your Petitioners as in Duty Bound Shall Ever Pray. January the 24th, 1781. (Signed)

SAMUEL BUTTERFIELD,
ALEXANDER PAYSON,
MARK HOBBS and others.

The above petition seems to have been for Township No. 6 which formed the southern half of the double township of Butterfield, now the towns of Hartford and Sumner. We are unable to say what later petition was made but both Numbers 6 and 7 were granted these petitioners not long after.

The earliest meeting of the Proprietors was held May 1, 1788, at the house of Ebenezer Bancroft in Dunstable. Mr. Bancroft was chosen proprietary clerk. Three agents were then chosen to act in behalf of the proprietors, selection of Mr. Bancroft, Samuel Butterfield and Peter Coburn being made, they being instructed to settle with those settlers who were entitled to a hundred acres of land in Butterfield or No. 6 and No. 7, as formerly granted by the General Court. Sept. 22, 1791, the proprietors voted to accept the plan and report of this committee and to enter the same on the proprietors' records. Allotments were by them made, and recorded, to the following men who had already settled in the township: "In the West town to James Keen, Hezekiah Stutson, John Briggs, Isaac Sturtivant, Benj. Haild, John Crokit, Moses Buck, Oliver Cummings, Jun'r, John Bisbee, John Fletcher, Levi Crocket, Simeon Basset, John Keen, Moses Bisbee, Joshua Ford, and Simeon Parlin."

"In the East town to Asa Robinson, Wm. Heaford, Increase Roberson, Mesbek Keen, Joseph Roberson, Wm. Tucker, Isaac Bonney, John Bonney, Charles Bisbee, David Oldham, Charles Ford, Elisha Bisbee, Noah Bosworth."

It will be seen from the above that Butterfield Township, which was composed of township No. 6 in the south and township No. 7 in the north, was early divided into two sections by a line running north and south or at nearly right angles to the old line. This was nearly parallel to the general course of the river which was originally the dividing line between Hartford and Sumner. These were then distinctively called the East Town and the West town, later, East and West Butterfield plantations.

Several petitions were made to the General Court of Massachusetts by the East and West townships. The first petition was made by West Butterfield May 1, 1793 and signed by Enoch Hall, Elisha Bisbee, John Keen, Moses Buck, John Crocket, John Fletcher, Simon Parlin, Wm. Tucker, Joshua Foard, Seth Allen, Jeames Keen, Meshach Keen, Solomon Bisbee, Joseph Robinson, Judah Keen, Noah Bozworth and Noah Bozworth, Jr. This was followed by one from the settlers in the East plantation, dated Aug. 22, of the same year. Both seem to have been rejected, as were also a second petition from the West plantation, issued the following December; a second from East Butterfield, dated Dec. 21, 1795; a third petition from West Butterfield in January, 1796, signed by twenty-nine tax payers; a fourth petition dated Dec. 18, 1797, asking that the river be the

dividing line; a petition for the incorporation of both plantations as one town, dated Dec. 19, 1797; and a third petition from East Butterfield, April 7, 1798, with the river for the dividing line.

The range line first adopted as the division between the townships gave the Eastern township 8365 acres more than its sister town. With the river the dividing line the difference in area was reduced to 4475 acres. Very soon after the last mentioned petition was made a joint petition was sent by the two plantations for their separate incorporation. This met the approval of the General Court, and both towns, the Eastern taking the name of Hartford, and the Western the name of Sumner, were duly incorporated.

The "Proprietary" held its meetings in Dunstable as late as 1804, but the original book of records has been lost. They employed Oliver Cummings, Jr., and others of the early settlers, to build roads through the new plantation, that they might open up their lots for sale, usually paying for such labor by grants of land. In 1804 the proprietors instructed their clerk to have all sales and allotments of land in both towns recorded in the Cumberland Registry of Deeds, which appears to be the last act of the Proprietary.

SETTLEMENT

The first settlements were made within the bounds of Butterfield plantation, under an act passed by the Massachusetts Legislature, giving 100 acres of land to any who should clear sixteen acres, back from the rivers or navigable waters, within four years. This offer continued until 1784, up to which time twenty-one settlers had taken up claims in the old plantation, and began permenent improvements thereon; of these about thirteen were in the East plantation and the remainder in the West. These men, who were the real founders of these towns, were the following: Simeon Barrett, Chas. Bisbee, Elisha Bisbee, Isaac Bonney, Noah Bosworth, John Briggs, Moses Buck, John Crockett, Oliver Cummings, Jr., Chas. Ford, Joshua Ford, Benj. Heald, John Keen, Mesbac Keen, Daniel Oldham, Simeon Parlin, Increase Robinson, Joseph Robinson, Hezekiah Stetson, Isaac Sturtevant, and William Tucker. Of these men three became proprietors, viz., Benj. Heald, Oliver Cummings and Increase Robinson.

Of the earliest Sumner settlers we learn the following from Mr. Robinson's Historical Sketch, published in 1898.

Barney Jackson and wife were the first white couple that spent the night in what is now the town of Sumner, but they made no permanent settlement here. Michael Kinley made the first clearing, but, he too, did not become a permanent resident. Noah Bosworth removed from Plympton, Mass., with his family, about 1782, and made the first permanent settlement in Sumner, on what is now the H. S.

Palmer place. The second family was Daniel Oldham's from Pembroke, Mass., who located on the place long known as the Russell farm. The third family was Charles Ford's, from the same town, locating on the Thos. Stephens farm. As to the fourth family it is not certain.

The fifth family was Wm. Hayford, locating on the A. Pomeroy place; and the sixth, Increase Robinson's, both coming from Pembroke. Mr. Robinson located with his family at East Sumner in 1783, and erected a cabin. The next season he built the first saw mill, and shortly afterwards, built the first framed house in town. The next family was Charles Bisbee's from Pembroke, coming in a sailing vessel to Freeport, Me., in 1783, thence overland with all his effects on the backs of two horses, the women taking turns riding. They located on the Capt. Lewis Bisbee farm.

The first white male child born in Sumner was Charles Ford, Jr., and the first white female child, Rebecca Robinson, who married Cyrus Thompson, of Hartford. The first store was kept at Dea. Increase Robinson's, who also made and sold cooper ware. The first blacksmith shop was located near where Asa Robinson lives, and Asa Robinson 1st was the smith. The first practicing physician was Micah Allen, who located near Jefferson Russell's present home.

Of the social organizations and local improvements, the Congregational church was formed in 1802, and the first meeting house erected in 1819, on Sumner Hill. The first postoffice was established October 1, 1811, and kept by Simeon Barrett, Esq. The mail route run through Sumner,

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from Buckfield, over Sumner Hill to Esq. Barretts, then back by East Sumner and through Hartford to Canton, trips being made mostly on horseback. Another postoffice was established at "Sumner Corner" (now East Sumner) in 1832, where Dr. Bethuel Cary was the first postmaster; and one at West Sumner in 1833, with Henry Howe, postmaster.

The town was first divided into school districts, in 1795, when six districts were formed.

The following list gives the names of the men who had settled in town up to 1797. Those who had settled claims prior to the granting of Butterfield Plantation were given their full rights by the proprietors. Most of those who settled under the proprietary were from Dunstable, Mass., or vicinity.

List of voters in West Butterfield, May 24, 1797:

Noah Bozworth, Mesoch Keen, Timothy Cobb, Oliver Cummings, Calvin Bisbee, Zadoc Keen, Seth Sturtavant, Moses Buck, Simon Parlin, Noah Bozworth Jr., John Briggs, Simeon Barrett, John Bisbee, Wm. Tucker, Isaiah Cushman, Enoch Hall, Joel Crocket, Jonas Coburn, James Keen, Benj. Heald, Joshua Foord, Reuben Proctor, Judah Keen, Jacob Bradbury, John Keen, John Crocket Jr., Joseph Robinson, Isaac Sturtavant, Levi Crocket, John Flitcher, Elisha Bisbee, Hezekiah Stutson, Joseph Crocket, Solomon Bisbee, Jonas Coburn Jr., Seth Allen, John Crocket, Thos. Flitcher, Wm. Double.

The township having been called West Butterfield Plantation, in honor of Samuel Butterfield, one of the leading proprietors, took the name of Sumner when incorporated a

town, the name selected in honor of Gov. Increase Sumner, then in office.

ACT OF INCORPORATION

An Act to incorporate the Plantation called *West Butterfield*, in the county of *Cumberland*, into a town by the name of *Sumner*.

SECT. 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same.

That the plantation of *West Butterfield*, in the county of *Cumberland*, bounded as follows, viz. Beginning at the north-west corner of *Buckfield* on *Paris* line; thence running north thirteen degrees west four miles and one hundred and eighty-four rods; thence north one mile and two hundred and twenty rods; thence north eighty degrees east four miles and forty rods; thence south fifty-five degrees east two hundred and twelve rods to the middle of the east branch of Twenty-mile-river; thence down the middle of said river, until it comes to *Buckfield* north line thence north, eighty-one degrees west, on *Buckfield* north line four miles and two hundred fifty-four rods to the bounds first mentioned, with the inhabitants thereon, be, and they hereby are incorporated into a town by the name of *Sumner*. And the said town

is hereby vested with all the powers, privileges and immunities which other towns in this Commonwealth do or may by law enjoy.

SEC. 2. *Be it further enacted*, that ISAAC STURDIVANT, Esq. be, and he hereby is empowered to issue his warrant directed to some suitable inhabitant within said town, requiring him to warn a meeting of the inhabitants thereof at such time and place as shall be expressed in said warrant for the purpose of choosing such town officers as other towns are empowered to choose in the month of *March* or *April* annually.

(This act passed June 13, 1798.)

The first town election was held August 13, 1798, at the dwelling house of Hezekiah Stetson. The officers first chosen were Increase Robinson, moderator; Alvan Robinson, clerk; Benj. Heald, Increase Robinson and Simeon Barrett, selectmen; Joseph Robinson, treasurer; John Briggs, collector (@ 25c per pound); Joshua Foord and Isaiah Cushman, tythingmen; Benj. Heald and Levi Crockett, deerreeves; John Bisbee, N. Bosworth, Jr., and Increase Robinson, Jr., hogreeves, and other necessary town officers.

TOWN OFFICIALS

TOWN CLERKS, 1850-1905.

1850-51, Abel Fletcher; 1852, Nathaniel Foster; 1853-55, Reuben Chandler; 1856-57, B. B. Freeman; 1858, Ira W. Coburn, 1859-64, J. T. Stetson; 1865-68, H. S. Coburn;

1869, G. S. Davenport; 1870, H. S. Coburn; 1871-77, N. H. Stowe; 1878-79, H. S. Coburn; 1880-82, L. B. Heald; 1883-92, G. A. Chandler; 1893-1905, L. B. Heald.

TREASURERS.

1850-51, Abel Fletcher; 1852-56, H. B. Chandler; 1857-58, Sharon Robinson; 1859-62, J. S. Davenport; 1863-87, H. B. Chandler; 1888-99, W. H. Eastman; 1900-05, Geo. A. Chandler.

SELECTMEN.

1850—Benj. Y. Tuell, John M. Lane, Benj. W. Briggs.
1851—J. M. Lane, Benj. W. Briggs, Roland Crocker.
1852—R. Crocker, Benj. W. Briggs, Chas. Y. Tuell.
1853—C. Y. Tuell, America Bonney, David Morrill, Jr.
1854—A. Bonney, D. Morrill, Jr., Whitney Cummings.
1855—A. Bonney, W. Cummings, Wm. H. Drake.
1856—B. W. Briggs, D. Morrill, Cyrus H. Howe.
1857—Gilbert Barrett, J. S. Benson, Joseph Field.
1858—Gilbert Barrett, Joseph Field, L. G. Hersey.
1859—Eleazer Ellis, Nahum Barnes, Nath. Gerrish.
1860—Eleazer Ellis, E. Morrill, Nahum Barnes.
1861—Eleazer Ellis, Nahum Barnes, Nath. Gerrish.
1862-63—Benj. Y. Tuell, B. W. Briggs, E. Morrill.
1864-65—E. Morrill, S. G. Cushman, Lewis Bisbee.
1866-67—Lewis Bisbee, Chas. Y. Tuell, S. C. Heald.
1868—Chas. Y. Tuell, S. C. Heald, Lewis Bisbee.
1869—Lewis Bisbee, B. W. Briggs, Asia Ricker.
1870—B. W. Briggs. Asia Ricker, B. Y. Tuell.
1871-72—Eliphalet Morrill, B. Y. Tuell, B. W. Briggs.

1873-74—E. Morrill, J. J. Abbott, J. H. Robinson.
1875—E. Morrill, J. H. Robinson, H. B. Hersey.
1876—E. Morrill, J. H. Robinson, C. Y. Tuell.
1877—C. Y. Tuell, E. Morrill, J. H. Robinson.
1878—C. Y. Tuell, L. L. Gardner, S. F. Stetson.
1879—S. F. Stetson, N. H. Stowe, M. D. Dow.
1880-81—S. F. Stetson, M. D. Dow, H. B. Hersey.
1882—M. D. Dow, J. J. Abbott, S. C. Heald.
1883-84—E. Morrill, J. H. Robinson, G. M. Small.
1885—J. H. Robinson, G. M. Small, L. B. Heald.
1886—S. F. Stetson, M. D. Dow, S. I. Crockett.
1887—S. F. Stetson, L. B. Heald, N. M. Varney.
1888-89—S. F. Stetson, L. B. Heald, G. H. Barrows.
1890—S. F. Stetson, G. H. Barrows, Oscar L. Newell.
1891—J. H. Robinson, O. L. Newell, J. E. Berry.
1892—S. F. Stetson, J. E. Berry, L. H. Bisbee.
1893—S. F. Stetson, L. H. Bisbee, G. H. Barrows.
1894—S. F. Stetson, G. H. Barrows, W. E. Bowker.
1895—L. H. Bisbee, C. W. Field, R. N. Stetson.
1896—S. F. Stetson, G. H. Barrows, R. N. Stetson,
1897—S. F. Stetson, W. E. Bowker, R. N. Stetson.
1898—S. F. Stetson, W. E. Bowker, O. L. Varney.
1899—S. F. Stetson, O. L. Varney, H. W. Bonney.
1900—S. F. Stetson, H. W. Bonney, A. T. Hollis.
1901—S. F. Stetson, R. N. Stetson, C. H. Bonney.
1902-03—S. F. Stetson, C. H. Bonney, G. H. Barrows.
1904—Wm. F. Bonney, A. L. Palmer, Geo. A. Chandler.
1905—C. H. Bonney, Geo. D. Gross, M. R. Fogg.

LOCAL INDUSTRIES

As in most of the towns of the Pine Tree State so it was in Sumner that the first real commercial industry to which the settlers gave their attention, was the manufacture of lumber. It is true that most of the first arrivals felled the stately trees which covered their lots and burned them on the clearings in the interest of the crops which they should raise on the ground so cleared. Others also spent much of their time in pursuit of the deer, bear and other game which inhabited the hitherto unbroken forest.

But the American mind is not long content unless engaged in some enterprise which shall enrich the purse, and it is generally quick enough to grasp an opportunity. Soon the immense wealth of the gigantic forest trees became realized, and the next step was toward means to convert it into currency.

But prior to this, perhaps, was erected the first saw-mill in town, by Dea. Increase Robinson, who moved to East Sumner in 1783, from Pembroke, Mass. Soon after erecting the mill he built the first framed house in town, this was followed by erecting several similar houses, generally of the type which withstands a century of time, remaining until the present day, as monuments to the strong character and sterling worth of these humble men. A saw-mill still occupies the site of this original mill. A few years later a grist mill was built near by, and operated for many years, the remains of which were consumed by fire in 1871.

Soon other mills sprung up on the various water privil-

eges on the streams in town, and the manufacture of lumber rapidly developed into the leading commercial industry.

Gradually, as improved machinery and modern methods became introduced in the larger centres, many of the old-time saw-mills, on the smaller streams, became hushed, but in this town this industry yet remains one of the most important. Several mills are now in operation in different parts of the town, including those now operated as the A. J. Berry Estate, and by E. I. Brown, at East Sumner; Geo. H. Packard & Co., and E. W. Chandler, at West Sumner; Redding Bros. and J. R. Skillings, at Redding, and one operated by A. H. Curtis.

The strong, rugged nature of the landscape manifests the same qualities in the character of the soil. Although somewhat difficult of tillage, the hillside and narrow valleys are found to respond liberally to properly directed efforts at agriculture, while grazing and dairying also receive the attention of many of the citizens. A corn-canning factory, operated by the Minot Packing Company of Mechanic Falls, is located at East Sumner, and offers a ready market for the sweet corn crop which is raised for that purpose.

MILITARY MATTERS.

The long list of names of men who bore arms during the struggle for American independence, attests to the loyalty of the men who were the first to plant their homes in this

township. Settled as they were soon after the close of the great contest, the Butterfield townships, among many other undeveloped regions, were sought by a class of men who had helped to win national independence, and who now sought personal freedom in the land which promised ample returns for the hardships they must overcome. The following names of men who fought in the Revolutionary war contain a large number of the first families of Sumner.

Micah Allen, Seth Allen, John Bartlett, Elisha Bisbee, Isaac Bonney, John Briggs, Levi Bryant, Joshua Churchill, Oliver Cummings, Isaiah Cushman, John Fletcher, Chas. Ford, Joshua Ford, Enoch Hall, Benj. Heald, James Hersey, James Keen, Lemuel Keen, Meshack Keen, Asa Robinson, Increase Robinson, Jos. Robinson, Sylvanus Stevens, Hezekiah Stetson, Isaac Sturtevant, Seth Sturtevant, Oliver Turner, Wm. Tucker, Abijah Warren.

The following men, citizens of Sumner, served in the *War of 1812:*

Daniel Abbott, Jos. Barrett, Leonard Benson, Asa Bonney, Isaac Bonney, John Bonney, John Briggs, Levi Bryant, Stephen Cobb, Asa Coburn, Jonas Coburn, John Cox, David Cox, Joseph Crockett, John Crockett, Levi Cushman, David Dutton, Jonathan Frye, Joseph Gowell, Lot Hall, Israel Heald, James Hersey, Andrew Keen, James Keen, John Moore, Enoch Morrill, Thaddeus Oldham, Almon Parlin, Asa Robinson, 2d, Stephen Spaulding, Hezekiah Stetson, Jr., Wm. Tucker.

CIVIL WAR SOLDIERS

1st Maine Infantry—Wm. A. Barrows, Eliab Bisbee,

James M. Buck, Samuel C. Irish, Roscoe J. Kidder.

4th Maine Infantry—L. B. Bisbee.

5th Maine Infantry—Cyrus B. Lawrence, W. Scott Robinson, Chas. H. Ryerson.

8th Maine Infantry—Chas. G. Abbott, Luther C. Abbott, Henry C. Barrett, Joseph A. Noyes.

9th Maine Infantry—Geo. W. Abbott, Jas. J. Abbott, Wm. G. Abbott, Alonzo F. Barrows, Harlan C. Barrows, Thos. H. Barrows, Wm. A. Barrows, Wm. D. Berry, Zeri Berry, Hiram H. Bisbee, Chas. B. Bonney, Isaac Bonney, Isaiah Cushman, Byron Ford, Chas. Gowell, Willard Hall, Albert H. Heald, Benj. F. Heald, Oscar F. Heald, LaForest Howe, Ira F. Murch, James D. Murch, Martin L. Page, Addison G. Parlin, Levi L. Proctor, Lucius L. Proctor, Wm. H. Proctor, Richard R. Robbins, G. D. B. Robinson, Daniel A. Rowe, Geo. W. Ryerson, Gustavus H. Ryerson, Roscoe G. Stevens, Edmund Thorne, D. S. Warren.

10th Maine Infantry—Elisha T. Bisbee, Elbridge Murch, Roscoe J. Kidder.

11th Maine Infantry—J. Bradbury Damon.

12th Maine Infantry—Henry H. Maxim, Wellington McCorrison.

16th Maine Infantry—Almerin A. Foye.

17th Maine Infantry—Wm. H. Downs, Barnet Thorn.

19th Maine Infantry—Greenleaf G. Russell.

20th Maine Infantry—Adroy E. Barker, Chas. A. Bucknam, Chas. T. Buck, Benj. F. Chase, Elliot L. Fogg, Benj. F. Heald, 2nd, Llewellyn B. Heald, H. H. McAlister, Thos. B. Morrill, Thos. G. Morrill, Albion W. Robinson, A. Jack Roberts.

23rd Maine Infantry—Geo. H. Barrows, James M. Buck, Geo. V. Childs, Stephen C. Heald, Henry Milner, Sidney S. Monk, John L. Noyes, Daniel R. Palmer, Mark L. Richardson, Sharon Robinson, Wm. R. Sewall, Freelon Starbird, S. F. Stetson, Jacob M. Willey.

29th Maine Infantry—Geo. Canwell, Freeman Farrar, Henry Houghton, Jas. F. Houghton, Benj. R. Irish, Henry Milner, Oliver Redding, Amasa B. Robbins, Geo. G. Russell, Almond T. Starbird.

30th Maine Infantry—Alpheus A. Abbott, Samuel Thorn.

32nd Maine Infantry—Freeland Q. Andrews, Leroy A. Gowell, Samuel N. Stetson, David Sewell, Jr., Henry W. Tucker.

1st Maine Cavalry—Edmond C. Bowker, W. S. Bucknam, James Canwell, Hanson S. Fields, Daniel G. Irish, Benj. F. Stetson, Hezekiah Stetson.

Coast Guards—John March.

U. S. Navy—J. Black Robinson.

Sumner furnished but one soldier in the late Spanish-American engagement, William J. Slattery, serving in the Light Battery M. 7th U. S. Artillery.

CHURCH HISTORY

Religious services were held within the settlements as early as enough families had congregated to employ a preacher, or to support public worship. The earliest meetings

were generally held in the spacious kitchen of some well-to-do settler, or, during the warm season, in a barn or grove. Later the first school house also served as a place for religious worship unless a meeting-house had already been erected. Probably the first religious services were held at the house of Dea. Increase Robinson.

The first meeting house built in Sumner was erected on Sumner Hill in 1819, some of the timber from which is now doing service in the Congregational church not far distant.

A society was formed of the Congregational order, in 1802. Various supplies were employed until 1812, when Rev. Samuel Sewall of Bath became a settled pastor, remaining until 1845. In 1854, the old meeting house was taken down and rebuilt near Parson Sewall's residence and is yet in use by this society. The meeting house has been several times remodeled and is now a comfortable and commodious house of worship. Pastors for the last twenty-five years have been Revs. Gilman Rice, who was here several years, up to 1886; C. T. Keene, 1886; D. S. Hibbard, 1887-94; P. E. Miller, 1895-99; T. D. Davies, 1900-01; and Rev. L. W. Muttart, 1902-05.

A Baptist society was formed very early in the century, and settled the first minister in town. Elder Macomber was granted the minister's lot of land, but this was later returned to the town, and the proceeds from its sale became a permanent fund, the interest of which is annually divided among the several religious societies in town. Elder Joseph Palmer was a faithful and successful pastor of this church for many years, preaching also at various schoolhouses in

town. On March 20, 1833, Elder Manassah Lawrence took up his abode in Sumner, and continued in the faithful ministry of this church for a period of twenty-five years. During his ministry the membership of the society increased from fifty-one to one hundred and thirty-three.

This denomination now has a society at East Sumner and one at West Sumner. These have generally been ministered to by the same pastor, but not always. Rev. A. A. Smith was pastor in 1882; Rev. Robert Scott, in 1884-85; Rev. Wm. Bevens (east), 1886-87; W. W. Cochrane (west), 1886; Rev. A. P. Wedge, 1889; S. D. Richardson preached at both churches for several years; John E. Berry (west), 1893-94; A. G. Murray (east), 1895-99; B. F. Turner, 1901-03; W. D. Athearn (east), 1904-05; W. H. Bishop (west),1904; E. O. Taylor (west), 1905.

Various societies have sprung up in town, some remaining permanent factors in the social and religious life of the community while others flourished for a season after which they became invisible. The only societies that have erected church edifices are the Congregational, the Baptist, each of which have two societies and two churches, and the Universalist.

The first Sabbath school was organized in town about 1832, by Rev. Asa Bullard, of Boston. Each of the churches now maintain a regular school, besides additional sessions.

SCHOOL ITEMS

Although removed from their homes and the various means of education and mental development, the early settlers here were not unmindful of the needs of the succeeding generation in the line of education. Schools were early established and supported, either by individual contributions or by the concerted action of the families in a neighborhood.

In 1795 Butterfield plantation was divided into six school districts, by a committe met at John Briggs', and composed of Isaac Bonney, Simeon Barrett, Wm. Hayford, Jr., John Briggs and Ephriam Tinkham. Three years later, soon after the incorporation of the town, $100 was voted for schools. There were then less than thirty voters to meet this and other appropriations which must be made in a new town.

As the number of families increased and gradually pushed back into the unsettled lots, the number of school districts became multiplied until seventeen were formed, maintaining sixteen schools. These were operated for many years under the district system, until that was succeeded by the more equable town system.

Steady advances have been made both in the system and efficiency of instructors employed in the schools of this town, keeping well abreast of other rural communities in offering suitable facilities for the education of her youth. No high school is maintained, many of the young men and women taking advanced work at Hebron, and other schools and colleges.

HISTORY OF BUCKFIELD

TOWNSHIP NUMBER FIVE

That section of the State of Maine now known as the town of Ruckfield, but earlier designated as Number Five, or Bucktown, comprises a variety of scenery and industry which lends to it a charm and beauty found in few other localities of the State. Owing to its easy access from the Androscoggin, and from Number Four (Paris), settlements were begun comparatively early. The first improvement ever made within the present town was begun by Benjamin Spaulding, during the summer of 1776, but it was not until the following spring that Abijah Buck and Thomas Allen moved with their families to this locality.

The first settlements were probably made in this town under the act passed by the Massachusetts Legislature, giving 100 acres to any who would clear sixteen acres back from the rivers or navigable waters within four years. This offer continued until 1784, up to which date many veterans of the Revolution had planted their homes within the wilderness, locating wherever they chose to erect their cabins and clear the land. In 1785 the State employed John Jordine to survey and lay out the present town of Buckfield, which he designated as Number Five, and the southern halves of Hartford and Sumner, which were called Number

Six. Soon after the survey the settlers of Number Five purchased this township of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the deed conveying which bearing the date of Nov. 13, 1788. Greenleaf's survey of Maine gives 4,800 acres to the settlers, and 20,033 acres to the proprietors. Abijah Buck was agent for the proprietors in making the purchase; which, together with the fact that he and his brothers were large owners after the purchase, led to the adoption of the name "Bucktown."

Following the close of the Revolution large numbers of the men who had served in the American Army, and who had been paid off in the nearly worthless Continental Currency, sought to make for themselves and their families homes on the unappropriated lands, or in the sections where home lots could be procured for a small pittance. Of these men, enured to the hardships of army life, and filled with pride of their achieved victory and freedom, many located within Bucktown, and there entered into the new life of the pioneer with an honest determination and zeal which has won for them and their posterity the undying gratitude and success of a State and Nation.

After the purchase of the township by the settlers a plantation organization was made which existed but a few years before the incorporation as a town was sought. This was granted in 1793, making Buckfield the eighty-first town to receive incorporation in the District of Maine.

EARLY SETTLEMENT.

From the fly-leaf of the earliest town record book we learn that the first improvement known to have been made within the present town of Buckfield by an "Englishman" was made in 1776, by Benj. Spaulding. Mr. Spaulding was one of the leading spirits in the early plantation and town, being chosen to serve on the first Board of Selectmen, and other offices. His family has remained in the official and business life of this town, and is now well represented.

The first men that came with their families and established homes were Abijah Buck and Thomas Allen, who came to this town April first, 1777, with their wives and children. They were joined by Nathaniel Buck, a brother to Abijah, who arrived with his family later in the month. On the 30th of September, following, Molly Allen was born, and Abijah Buck, Jr., was born March 1st, 1778, being the first children born to white parents in Buckfield. The Bucks settled near where the old cemetery is now located, one and one-half miles from the village toward North Buckfield. Thos. Allen was one of the leading men of the town, serving as Town Clerk for many years after its incorporation.

It is said that a settlement was made at Lowell's Corner, then called Hebron, nearly if not quite as early as the above families located here. Thomas Lowel, or Lowell, and others arrived here probably about the same time and established what proved to be the principal settlement for some years. This fact accounts for the names now applied to the two elevations known as South Hill and North Hill,

both of which are located in the southern part of the town, but between which this settlement was made. Dominicus Record, whose posterity is now quite numerous in town, was perhaps the man to whom the people looked more than to any other in public affairs. He was an early mill proprietor, so far as we have learned he was the first to erect a mill here. He filled many town offices and has been succeeded by others of his family.

Others of the most prominent men in the early town were Lemuel Crooker, Wm. Harlow, Jonathan Roberds, Ephraim Hathaway, Seba Smith, Wm. Doble, John Buck, Philemon Parsons, Josiel Smith, (in the west district), Tobias Ricker (north-east district), Enoch Hall, the first representative sent from the town to the General Court; Samuel Jenkins and Thomas Joscelyn, land and road surveyors; Nathaniel Chase, the first settled minister, who came in 1781, an ancestor of Chase Bros., nurserymen of Rochester, N. Y.; Jacob Whitman, Job Prince, John Warren, Capt. Mark Andrews, at whose house early town meetings were held. Of those who settled school district Number 2, in the south part of the town, on what is now the west road to Mechanic Falls, were Daniel Packard and his brother, Job, Jacob Whitman, Samuel Taylor, Jabez Churchill, John Brock, Seth Bearce and others, all arriving in 1783. Benj. Jordan, Nathaniel Leonard, Joseph Lothrop and Jesse Turner, arrived in town the following year. These men were all veterans from the war. Of the remaining families that had located here up to 1795 we would mention the following: Amos Brown, John Andrews, John Richardson,

Jonathan Philbrooks, Joel Foster, Tristram Warren, Caleb Young, Joseph Roberts, Joshua Wescott, James Jordan, Simon and Jonathan Record, Josiah Keen, Abiel Drake, John Clay, David Farrow, Enoch Leathers, Moses Bisbee, Gershom Davis, Thos. Lincoln, Wm. Berry, John Rider, John Sweat, David Warren, Samuel Tobin, Wm. Churchill, Abijah Lapham, Moses Stephens, Joseph Chase, Jonas Coburn, Israel Smith, Stephen Rider, James Bonney, James Hodgdon, Eben Austin, Jeremiah Hodgdon and Daniel Crocket. Samuel Andrews was on the board of selectmen in 1796, and Gershom Cole, Thos. Frazier, David Gammon, Jonathan Damon, John Huzsey and Luther Gardner served in various town offices the same year. Wm. Mahew, James Waterman, Robert Elliott, Valentine Mathews, Edmund Warren, Thos. Faunce, James Hussey, Daniel Merrill, Andrew Twombly and Levi Cushman were here in 1797, also John Brown and family, who were, at the time, a town charge, Samuel Webb, Benj. Silley, Gershom Davis, Stephen Drae, Geo. Ricker, and Consider Samson, are mentioned in 1798.

Additions seem to have come into the new settlement faster than the proprietors or inhabitants desired, for we find a vote taken May 1, 1798, recorded in the town annals, directing David Warren, constable, to warn twenty-five families and a widow, who had recently come to the town for the purpose of locating here, "not having the town's consent, to depart the limits thereof with their children and others under their care within fifteen days." Among these families we find some who became leading men in the towns

farther back, including Rouse Bisbee, later of Woodstock.

During these years many new families arrived annually, new ambitions and enterprise took hold of the men, who began to see the wealth of their possessions and the possibility of their development; new industries were established, making each central community practically independent of the commercial world. Buckfield village early became a trading center, being on a direct stage line. An early hostlery had been established on the hill near the site of the present Union Church, or town house. Other early Inns were opened in town for the accommodation of the traveling public. When, at the middle of the century, the town became the terminus of a railroad line, its standing as a commercial center became augmented and its growth continued.

INCORPORATION

ACT OF INCORPORATION.

Act to incorporate the Plantation of Bucktown, or Number Five, in the County of Cumberland, into a Town by the name of Buckfield.

Be it enacted by the Senate and the House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, that the following described tract of land, viz.: Beginning at the north-west corner of Hebron and running south, twenty degrees east, on the northly line of said He-

bron, five miles and about one hundred and ninety rods, until it strikes the west line of Turner; thence north twenty-six degrees east by said line, five miles and about one hundred rods, until it meets the south-east corner of Number Six, or Butterfield; thence running south eighty-one degrees west, eight miles and two hundred rods, to the east line of Plantation Number Four; thence by said line running south thirteen degrees east, to the first mentioned bound; together with the inhabitants thereon, be and they hereby are, incorporated into a town by the name of BUCKFIELD, and the said town is hereby invested with all the powers privileges and immunities which other towns in this Commonwealth do or may enjoy by law.

And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that Wm. Widgery, Esq., be and he hereby is, empowered and requested to issue his warrant, directed to some suitable inhabitant of the said Buckfield, requiring him to warn the inhabitants thereof to meet at some convenient time and place to choose all such officers as towns are by law required to choose, in the month of March or April.

The above act received the approval and signature of the Governor, March 16, 1793.

The earliest town meeting held was called at the house of Dominicus Record, who issued the warrant calling the same. Mr. Record was chosen moderator of the meeting, Thomas Allen, town clerk, and Lemuel Crooker, Wm. Harlow and Jonathan Roberts, selectmen. Lemuel Crooker, Jonathan Roberts and Ephraim Hathaway were then chosen assessors after which the meeting was adjourned until

two o'clock in the afternoon. At the afternoon session they cast their votes for governor and other state officers, with the following results: Samuel Adams, for Governor, received 31 votes; Moses Gill, for Lieutenant Gov., received 25 votes; for Senator, Wm. Widgery, 17 votes; Josiah Thatcher and David Mitchel, each 9 votes. Mr. Record was then chosen Town Treasurer and Wm. Lowel, Collector; collection to be at one shilling on the pound. Benj. Spaulding and Wm. Doble were chosen Tythingmen. Road Surveyors were chosen for each of the seven districts, and Abijah Buck, Ephraim Hathaway and Lemuel Crooker were made a committee to lay out roads; this committee was dissolved, however, before taking any action.

At an adjourned meeting Dominicus Record and Benj. Spaulding were chosen to act as Selectmen and Assessors in conjunction with those already chosen. At a meeting held for raising money for various town purposes, £100 was voted for roads and highways, £50 for schools, and a vote was taken to build a pound 25 feet square. The following is also recorded "Voted to postpone the building of Stocks."

A strong feeling for the separation of the District of Maine from the Commonwealth was shown by the people of Buckfield in the various votes cast on the question. In 1795 the vote record shows forty in favor and but eighteen against; in 1819 the final and successful vote shows 119 to 11 in favor of the new State. Buckfield's first representative in the General Court was Enoch Hall who was chosen to serve in 1807.

Buckfield Village Corporation adopted its Act of Incor-

poration March 8, 1890, and adopted its by-laws two days later. Fred H. Atwood was chosen first corporation clerk; C. H. Prince, treas., and Merritt Parsons, Alfred Cole and I. W. Shaw, assessors. Its object in organizing was to insure to the village a continuous high school, and to provide a suitable system for fire protection. A new system of water works has recently been installed by the Buckfield Water and Electric Light Co., and twenty hydrants have been placed throughout the village. The water supply is brought from North Pond, a distance of three miles and furnishes an excellent supply for protection or consumption. The officers for 1905 are J. E. Warren, clerk; G. B. Spaulding, treas., A. F. Warren, W. H. Conant, and W. C. Allen, assessors; E. L. Phinney, A. Damon and J. E. Warren, fire wardens.

TOWN OFFICIALS

CLERKS

Dastine Spalding, 1850-51; George Thomas, 1852-53; James Murdock, 1854-56; Dastine Spaulding, 1857-64; Carleton Gardner, 1865-66; Jason Farrar, 1867; Josiah Hutchinson, 1868-70; Jason Farrar, 1871-72; O. F. Gardner, 1873-74; C. C. Spaulding, 1875-82; Alfred Cole, 1883-1905.

TREASURERS

Carleton Gardner, 1850; S. C. Andrews, 1851-53; Dastine Spaulding, 1854; Axel Spalding, 1855; Oscar F. Gardner, 1856; D. Spaulding, 1857; Orville Bridgham, 1858-59; D. Spaulding, 1860. Albion P. Bonney, 1861; H. H. Hutchinson, Jr. 1862; Amory H. Allen, 1863-64; Hiram Hines, 1865-67; S. C. Andrews, 1868-71; R. C. Jewett, 1872-74; A. P. Bonney, 1875-79; V. P. D. Coster, 1880; Gilbert Barrett, 1881; A. P. Bonney, 1882-85; C. Gardner, 1886-87; C. H. Prince, 1888-96; Merritt Parsons, 1897; B. Spaulding, Jr., 1898-1904; T. S. Bridgham, 1905.

SELECTMEN

1850—H. H. Hutchinson, Jr., Joshua Irish, Merritt Farrar.

1851—H. H. Hutchinson, Jr., Merritt Farrar, Lewis Mason.

1852—H. H. Hutchinson, Merritt Farrar, H. Philbrick.

1853—Jas. Bonney, Daniel Fletcher, Leonard Russell.

1854—Jas. Bonney, L. Russell, N. O. Stoven.

1855—L. Russell, Carleton Gardner, James Spaulding.

1856—H. H. Hutchinson, Lewis Mason, Asa Taylor.

1857—Allison G. Cole, A. P. Bonney, Wm. Chase.

1858-59—H. Philbrick, H. H. Hutchinson, Naphtali Mason.

1860-61—Thos. Chase, Noah Prince, Orin Farrar.

1862—Noah Prince, Merritt Farrar, Josiah Hutchinson.

1863-64—Dastine Spaulding, C. H. Berry, H. H. Hutchinson.

1865—H. H. Hutchinson, Thos. Chase, T. W. Bowman.
1866—H. H. Hutchinson, T. G. Bicknell, O. F. Gardner.
1867—Hiram Hines, A. C. Day, A. P. Bonney.
1868—H. H. Hutchinson, C. D. Bradbury, Alden Bessey.
1869—H. H. Hutchinson, C. D. Bradbury, O. F. Gardner.
1870—H. H. Hutchinson, Varanus DeCoster, Silas Mitchell.
1871—H. H. Hutchinson, Silas Mitchell, Gilbert Barrett.
1872—Carleton Gardner, C. H. Berry, A. F. Mason.
1873—O. F. Gardner, L. C. Andrews, A. D. White.
1874—Carleton Gardner, C. H. Berry, Alfred Cole.
1875—Carleton Gardner, Alfred Cole, Lucius Young.
1876—Carleton Gardner, Alfred Cole, A. G. Atkinson.
1877—Alfred Cole, Gilbert Barrett, Merritt Farrar.
1878—Alfred Cole, M. Farrar, H. H. Hutchinson.
1879—A. P. Bonney, M. Farrar, A. F. Mason.
1880—T. S. Bridgham, A. F. Mason, J. C. Heald.
1881—T. S. Bridgham, H. H. Hutchinson, S. Mitchell.
1882—T. S. Bridgham, A. P. Bonney, A. F. Mason.
1883—A. P. Bonney, A. F. Mason, H. D. Irish.
1884—T. S. Bridgham, H. D. Irish, H. H. Hutchinson.
1885—A. P. Bonney, H. H. Hutchinson, A. S. Bessey.
1886—A. P. Bonney, C. E. Foster, C. E. Irish.
1887—A. F. Mason, A. P. Bonney, C. C. Spaulding.
1888—Carleton Gardner, Ellis Whitman, L. C. Mason.
1889-90—Benj. Spaulding, E. Whitman, V. P. DeCoster.
1891—Benj. Spaulding, L. C. Mason, A. P. Bonney.
1892—Stanley Bisbee, L. C. Mason, E. Whitman.
1893—T. S. Bridgham, A. P. Bonney, V. P. DeCoster.

1894—C. Gardner, A. P. Bonney, W. H. Purkis.
1895-96—T. S. Bridgham, W. H. Purkis, A. P. Bonney.
1897—W. H. Purkis, E. Whitman, N. E. Morrill.
1898—T. S. Bridgham, E. B. Austin, L. C. Mason.
1899—E. B. Austin, L. C. Mason, J. B. Mason.
1900—E. B. Austin, Henry Parsons, H. F. Irish.
1901—E. B. Austin, H. F. Irish, V. P. DeCoster.
1902—H. F. Irish, V. P. DeCoster, A. E. Cole.
1903—Merritt Parsons, E. B. Austin, N. E. Bessey.
1904—Merritt Parsons, E. B. Austin, E. Whitman.
1905—H. F. Irish, E. Whitman, W. H. Irish.

INDUSTRIAL ACCOUNT

Many different industries have been operated within the town of Buckfield during the last century and a quarter. Where was erected the first mill in town we are unable to say, Dominicus Record was an early mill proprietor, perhaps the earliest in town. We are told that Capt. Joseph Parris owned the first saw mill at the village, the mill standing just back of the present grist mill. This passed into the hands of Virgil D. Parris but is now entirely obliterated and the old dam gone. The present grist mill occupied the site of that owned by Benj. Heald, and which passed into the hands of Washington Heald, his son. This was burned, together with the carding machines of Nathan Atwood, who had established a business in the chamber of the mill. The

grist mill was rebuilt at once. Not long after this Mr. Heald sold out his milling interests at the village and went to North Buckfield, where he built both a saw and a grist mill. His sons, J. C. and B. F. Heald are now manufacturing brush blocks, together with some custom sawing. The earliest saw mill at North Buckfield seems to have been that owned and operated by Leonard Spaulding; this has now disappeared, The site below the bridge was occupied for a number of years by Abel Spaulding who carried on quite an extensive rifle manufactory. His rifles were a superior article and greatly prized.

The first mill on the site of C. Worthington & Sons' brush factory was a carding and fulling mill built by Wm. Cole. The business was left to Addison, his son, who later sold to Jason Farrar. Mr. Farrar run a shingle machine together with the carding mill. These were burned, but were rebuilt by the town's people. Nahum Moore was the next owner. He leased the building to C. M. Dacy for manufacturing shoes which he did for a few years before removing to South Paris. It was also occupied for making cider and vinegar by C. B. Atwood, and by K. C. Atwood for the manufacture of blacking box holders and skewers. The building was again left vacant until bought by C. Worthington & Sons twenty-one years ago. This business was begun here by Chas. Worthington about fifty years ago when he removed from Portland to the old starch factory in town. From 1861 to 1868 he carried on his business at East Auburn and at Lewiston, but returned to Buckfield establishing himself at the old shoe factory build-

ing erected by the town on the site of the present Odd Fellows' Block. This factory was burned and Mr. Worthington moved the brush business to the present site 21 years ago. The business was again burned out in October, 1897, immediately after which the present building was erected and opened on the January following. This business was incorporated in 1897, and is the largest in town.

On the mill site below the brush factory a saw mill and starch factory were built in 1845-46 by Ephraim Atwood, Levi Cushman and Lorenzo Atwood. The buildings were later occupied for the manufacture of shovel handles which business was carried on by different parties for about twenty years. Chas. Forster then made tooth picks here, until he sold to Irish & Donovan who made brush blocks, which business is now carried on here by C. M. & H. A. Irish. Atwood & Atwood's block making establishment was started by Granville Harlow who also made tooth picks. Mr. Harlow sold the business to Chas. Gile of whom E. M. Atwood and Bert Allen bought it. Allen later sold his share to K. C. Atwood. E. M. Atwood is manager.

The corn canning business was established here in 1881, by J. Winslow Jones who erected the buildings that year and placed large contracts with the farmers. Upon his subsequent failure in business this plant came into the hands of the Winslow Packing Company, Chas. P. Maddox, president. In 1888 it was bought by the Portland Packing Company, the present owners. It has been under the care of H. H. Nulty, superintendent, since it was opened. The plant has been greatly enlarged, having a capacity now of 75,000

cans daily. 250 acres of corn is cultivated annually for this market, most of which is raised in this town.

PROFESSIONAL MEN

Of the professional men, Dr. Wm. Bridgham was probably the first educated physician. Dr. Wm. Comstock and Dr. Cyrus Coolidge were successful early practitioners. Dr. Wm. P. Bridgham, now living in his 90th year, succeeded his father. Dr. Drake, Dr. Bradbury, and Drs. C. B. Bridgham, O. R. Hall, Cyrus Irish, Dr. Crosby, John DeCosta and Dr. Blanchard have practiced here. Dr. J. C. Caldwell, who has been here about 40 years, and Dr. Harry Heald are the present physicians.

The earliest lawyer of whom we have learned was Samuel F. Brown, whose influence and direction led the boys of the village school in setting out the stately trees which now over-arch the village streets; Jacob Brown, S. C. Andrews, Thos. J. Bridgham, public spirited men; Geo. D. Bisbee, now of Rumford Falls; and O. H. Hersey, now of Portland have practiced law here. Thomas S. Bridgham was admitted to the bar before the Rebellion, practicing a short time at Mechanic Falls before enlisting. He opened an office in Buckfield in 1876 and has continued in successful practice. Fred R. Dyer is a leading man in the community, and a member of the bar.

MILITARY

The military history of Buckfield begins before the first sound of the settler's axe broke the native stillness of the forest. Many of the patriotic men of the mother state had already faced the British guns and were yet to see several years of hardship and fortitude before they were able to declare themselves free and independent of the tyranny of Great Britain. But at the close of that war many had become estranged from their native towns by the death of loved ones, or by the loss of their entire property. They were paid in the nearly worthless currency of the new nation which was not sufficient to provide other homes, except such as they might carve from the wilderness on the frontier. Many in competent circumstances were also flocking to the new fields which fact influenced some to venture back to the settlements in the woods. We are told that no less than 36 veterans of this struggle are now resting in Buckfield soil, while many others have been numbered with those who were here before 1810. Many came during the years at the close of the war. Ser. Daniel Packard and his wife, Betty, both of whom served throughout the entire war, where Betty was an army nurse; Job Packard, his brother; Jacob Whitman, Samuel Taylor, Jabez Churchill, John Brock and Seth Bearce, Jr., came in 1783; Benj. Jordan, Nathaniel Leonard, Jesse Lothrop and Jesse Turner, in 1784, besides many others who became the leading men and the fathers of many honored citizens.

Nearly as many men from this town enlisted in the War

of 1812 as came from the Revolution, but space forbids us to enumerate them here, or to mention the training days which followed the close of this war. Oscar Gardner is said to have been the sole representative of Buckfield in the Mexican War.

We give below a list of the men who served to the credit of this town in the Rebellion, as compiled from the reports of the State Adjutant General. The action of these men on the field of battle was well worthy the trained and patriotic blood which they inherited from the earlier generations.

CIVIL WAR SOLDIERS

Daniel Austin, Henry Brown, Fernando Brown, Wm. H. Brown, Moses Brown, Asia Brown, James Brown, Chas. B. Bridgham, Capt. John E. Bryant, Jas. H. Bryant, Asia Bryant, Llewellyn A. Buck, K. R. Buck, Augustus G. Buck, Austen C. Buck, Benj. F. Buck, Chas. M. Beadle, Wm. H. Blake, Henry N. Bradbury, John J. Bradelon, Edwin S. Burrows, Albert H. Burrow, Rufus A. W. Bunker, John F. Berry, Chas. H. Cox, Corp. Roscoe G. Chase, Decatur S. Chase, Wm. A. Cole. Cyrus W. Cole, Chas. C. Churchill, Joseph P. Chandler, Eli B. Clark, Lorenzo Cushman, James M. Chesley, Corp. Wm. G. Davey, James E. Davey, Wm. G. Davee, Edmund Decoster, Nathan H. Decoster, Corp. Wm. B. Decoster, John D. Decoster, Edwin G. Doble, Corp. Joseph E. Davee, Clinton Forbes, James M. Farrar, Daniel W. Farrar, Gideon Fletcher, Roland A. Foster, Henry B. Forbes, Levi Gammon, Chas. Gammon, David Green, Nathaniel Harlow, Freeland F. Harlow, Kinsman Holmes, Samuel Holmes, Asia Howard, James Hussey,

Wm. R. Hasey, Veranus D. Irish, Isaac M. Irish, Corp. Abel Irish, Stephen O. Irish, Amial Jones, Corp. Simon L. Johnson, Samuel T. Johnson, Danville R. Jack, Henry C. Long, Arthur B. Latham, A. J. Lufkin, Albion A. Maxim, Henry H. Maxim, Franklin Maxim, Sylvester E. Murdock, James Murdock, Chas. A. Murdock, Irving Morse, Wm. W. Marston, Corp. Geo. D. Marston, R. G. Mitchell, Decatur Monk, Carroll Morrill, Orrington Mason, Lieut. Isaac H. McDonald, Baptiste Macho, Gosselin McGloire, America F. Mahew, Moses Merrill, Thos. Merrill, John J. Morrill, Samuel Nutter, A. G. Osborne, James F. Packard, Moses F. Packard, Capt. Chas. H. Prince, Benj. F. Peterson, Madison O. Proctor, Samuel W. Proctor, Lewis Record, Edgar T. Record, Julius A. Record, George B. Record, Corp. Albert A. Roberts, Alpheus A. Ricker, Jerry Russell, Alvardo Russell, James A. Russell, Clinton Ripley, Frank Shaw, Frank J. Shaw, Milford N. Shaw, Burton Shaw, James G. Spaulding, Corp. Cyrus C. Spaulding, James T. Skillings, James F. Skillings, Orville P. Tucker, Winslow Turner, Luther Turner, Gardner Thomas, Edward Velend, Moses F. Verrill, Serg. Holman W. Waldron, Alphonso F. Warren, James A. Warren, Cyprian Whitman, Horace M. Young, Joseph H. Young, Morris Woodbury.

BUCKFIELD CHURCHES.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Elder James Potter visited the settlement as early as 1789, and Elder Snow, of Thomaston was also an early preacher of the Baptist faith here. The First Baptist Church was organized in 1791 at which time there were seventeen members. No pastor was settled and no regular preaching was generally had until Elder Nathaniel Chase, who had come from Windham in 1781, at the age of 21, and was con-

verted under the preaching of Elder Potter, began his ministry. He was licensed to preach in 1796 and six years later was ordained pastor of this church. During his pastorate of thirty-five years the church passed through a growth and decline ending with the church having become much weakened through loss of members. There were but twelve left in 1841, five years after Mr. Chase had removed his relations to the Hebron church. The society disbanded in 1841, having had an existence of fifty years many of which had been prosperous and influential. Job Prince, Stephen Benson and Job Packard were leading men in the church.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH—WEST BUCKFIELD.

This society was organized July 14, 1802, as the result of a strong religious awakening in the west part of the town. The church was generally under the care of Elder Chase until Elder George Ricker was ordained and installed pastor Nov. 23, 1803. He remained until 1810 at which time some disaffection arose in the church. This was followed by a period of decline until the winter of 1816-17 when a revival again awakened a religious interest. Elder Chase was again chosen to act generally as pastor, although not formally settled. In 1822 Ephraim Harlow was licensed a local preacher, and three years later was ordained at the Brock school house. He served this church preaching also at various school houses for nearly 25 years, at the same time tilling his fields for his living. Trouble regarding Masonry arose in 1829-30 and the church again became weakened until revived in 1839 under Elder Butler. Elders Hutchinson and Hall are the last mentioned preachers, being here in 1848. The last records show 21 members in 1852, which year completed a half century since organization and also ends the records of the society.

BUCKFIELD VILLAGE BAPTIST CHURCH.

For two years the town seems not to have had a religious organization. Buckfield village had, in 1850, become quite a business centre, and the terminus of the new Buckfield Branch R. R. Rev. Dr. Wilson, of Hebron, and A. K. P. Small held some services during the summer of 1851, and in September Mr. Small closed his connection with Hebron Academy and took up his residence here as a mission preacher, and teacher in the village school. After many discouragements he saw an interest awakened. He was ordained an evangelist in Oct. 1853 and the following December baptized his first convert. A branch of the Paris church was then formed consisting of six members. The church became organized as a separate body with 19 members, Sept. 13, 1854, and a new church building erected, dedicated Nov. 29, 1855. Rev. Mr. Small having by his tireless labors established a prosperous church, resigned the pastorate in Aug. 1858, and was followed by Rev. Edward H. Pray in December. Mr. Pray remained three years. The next settled pastor was Rev. J. A. Baskwell, remaining from Sept. 1862 for one year. In Feb. 1864 Rev. C. H. Carleton became pastor filling the position for three and a half years. Rev. Alonzo F. Benson followed him in 1868 for two and one-half years. The next pastor was Rev. Harry Linsley who was ordained and installed Nov. 1, 1871. The church edifice was entirely destroyed by fire on Sunday morning, Oct. 27, 1872, with no insurance. The hall in the Buckfield house, and Union Chapel were used for holding services until, after much hard work, the new house was dedicated free from debt, Jan. 13, 1874. Rev. Mr. Linsley, who had stood so nobly by during the hour of trial now tendered his resignation preaching his farewell sermon Oct. 18, 1874. Rev. R. G. Farley became pastor in 1875, remaining until June 1877. Succeeding pastors have been Revs. L. A. Freeman,

1878-80; S. L. B. Chase, (supply) 1880-81, H. B. Marshall, 1881-82; J. M. Follett, 1883-87; J. H. Barrows, 1887-89; B. F. Lawrence, 1890-96; Summer Bangs, 1896-98; John H. Whitson, 1898-1900; B. F. Turner, 1900-1903; and Rev. W. D. Athearn, the present pastor who began his pastorate Nov. 22, 1903. A Parish Society was organized Jan. 25, 1890 to cooperate with the church society. The church now numbers 74 members.

UNION MEETING HOUSE.

The old Union Meeting House which today stands on the hill, towering above this peaceful village hamlet, was erected in the year 1830, by a number of the residents, who sold the edifice, completed, to pew holders of the different denominations then represented among the people. These were Baptists, Universalists, Congregationalists, Methodists and Free Baptists. The house was occupied principally by the Baptists and Universalists for many years, until the Baptists erected their first house. After this the Union Church was occupied by the Universalists occasionally, then was used as a public hall. The building had passed into the hands of Lawyer Anderson and C. B. Atwood, and later into the possession of Mr. Atwood by the purchase of pew-rights. The old town house having become unfit, it was decided advisable to fit up this old land-mark into a town house a few years ago. The plan was aided by the generosity of many of Buckfield's sons both at home and abroad, and this is now one of the best town halls in the county.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

The Methodist Episcopal church in Buckfield was founded in the year 1878 soon after which the present church edifice was erected at a cost of $3,000. This edifice has been thoroughly repaired the present year under pastor A. W.

Pottle, at an outlay of $800. The following pastors have served the church: 1881, S. T. Record; 1882, N. C. Clifford; 1883-8, J. Moulton; 1886, J. P. Roberts; 1889-90, E. K. Mabury; 1891, A. D. Graffam; 1892-93, Henry Crockett; 1894, G. B. Hannaford; 1895, F. W. Sadler; 1896-97, R. A. Rich; 1898-99, G. B. Hannaford; 1900, E. L. Hooper; 1901-02, C. H. Munson; 1903-4, J. C. Prince; 1905, A. W. Pottle. The present membership of the church is about twenty.

SCHOOL ITEMS

Schools were maintained here before the incorporation of the town as is shown by the fact that the schoolhouse was then standing on the county road. An appropriation of £50 was made as soon as the town government was established, and a vote was made the same year for the abatement of taxes, the same to be applied to the support of schools.

At the second annual town meeting a school committee of eleven men was chosen, and Jonas Coburn, Abijah Buck and Benj. Spaulding were chosen "to look after the cultivation of the school lots." The following is a list of the men chosen in each district in March, 1796, to look after the schools: Ichabod Waterman, in the West District; Thomas Lowel, South Hill; Benj. Spaulding, Middle Dist.; Thos. Allen, N.-W. Dist.; Tobias Ricker, N.-E. Dist.; Joel Foster, Second Middle Dist.; Enoch Hall, 7th Dist.; Luther Gardner, Second N-W Dist.; and Amos Brown "for district he belongs to." Two years later a vote was passed to erect four new school houses in town, but before any active steps were taken the vote was rescinded, the town contenting itself with an appropriation of £60 for school support. This shows the readiness with which the voters provided for ed-

ucation, and it is very probable that the houses were erected very soon after. The old village school, where many honored sons and daughters of Buckfield received their first training, is still standing, and is now used as a job shop by Gilbert Tilton.

The town schools have continued to receive the increased attention of the voters and community. New and improved methods have been adopted from time to time as they have been proven superior to existing methods. The old district system was abolished in 1891 for the adoption of a town system. There are now several rural schools besides the graded village school. A high school has been in successful operation for a quarter of a century, but not until last year was any attempt to establish courses made. There are now a Latin Scientific and an English course, formed by the principal, L. G. Lord, who has remained with the school the present year. This department has now about twenty students. All the village schools are held in the large brick school house, which was erected after the burning of the other, in 1872.

A catalogue of "Buckfield High School and Lyceum," dated May 15, 1841, has come to our attention. Although then in the first year of its existence it was being attended by a total of eighty-six men and women, many of whom were already teachers. This Normal School had the strongest men of Buckfield behind it as is shown by the names of the Board of Directors: Zadoc Long, Samuel F. Brown, Wm. W. Comstock, Wm. Cole, and James Levett. The institution was under the direction of Rev. Cyril Pearle, preceptor, with J. C. Richardson and Miss Emeline Smith, instructors. It was well provided with a valuable library and cabinet as well as scientific apparatus. Doubtless the work done by this institution did much to place the schools of this and surrounding towns, on a higher plane of education.

ZADOC LONG FREE LIBRARY.

The beautiful new library building erected in 1902, by Hon. John D. Long, to the memory of his father, is much prized by the residents of this village. The building which is neatly designed and well built, stands near the center of the village, where it is within easy access to the greatest number. It was erected by John Murch, of Paris, builder, from plans by John Calvin Stevens. The books were furnished by different members of the Long family: pictures were given by Mrs. Stevens, wife of the architect; sons of Thomas Chase gave the heating apparatus; and the lot on which the building stands was presented by Mrs. Josephine Cole Thomas. A Spanish gun captured from the Spanish armed steamer "Santo Domingo," on July 12, 1898, by the U. S. Ship "Eagle," decorates one corner of the reading room, the gift of Mr. Long, while Secretary of the Navy. There are now around 3000 volumes on the library shelves, and in the hands of those who have learned to improve their opportunities in their free use. Lizzie L. Allen is librarian.

PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY

Mountain Grange, No 164, was organized at Buckfield village, May 15, 1875. After a few years of activity it ceased to hold its meetings, until re-organized with 25 members June 17, 1901. Soon after the re-organization it was removed to North Buckfield where a hall was erected in 1904 at a cost of $2,000. Henry Parsons was chosen master in 1901 and has been succeded only by the present master, Fred E. Heald. Other officers for the present year are S. J. Spaulding, Over.; W. L. Harlow, Lec.; Maude Bessey, Sec.

Buckfield Grange, No 438, was instituted at Buckfield village, July 14, 1904, with 73 charter members; this number has now increased to 97. Henry Parsons was chosen Master and re-elected for the present year. Fred A. Cooper is now Overseer; Sadie Thorne, Lecturer; Adelbert Parsons, Treasurer; and A. F. Warren, Secretary. Meetings are held in Odd Fellows Hall.

Franklin Grange, No. 124 of Woodstock was organized March 11, 1875, with 48 charter members. Its building was erected in the spring of 1892 at Bryants Pond at a cost of $3000. It was dedicated on Aug. 31 of that year. The following is the list of the Past Masters from the organization: Alden Chase, Benjamin Davis, S. C. Davis, D. J. Libby, I. S. Curtis, J. L. Bowker, A. P. Cole, G. W. Ridlon, H. H. Cushman, G. L. Cushman, R. C. Davis, G. W. Q. Perham, W. S. Davis, L. P. Bryant, D. C. Dudley and H. C. Bacon, the present Master. The present membership numbers 257. The present officers are: H. C. Bacon, Master, Bryants Pond; G. E. Stevens, Over.; Georgia Bisbee, Lect.; W. H. Noyes, Steward; Will Perham, Asst. Steward; Mrs. Emily J. Felt, Chaplain; G. L. Cushman, Treasurer; Mrs. Stella Bowker Bacon, Secretary, Bryants Pond; Ernest Billings, Gatekeeper; Ethlyn Davis, Pomona; Elsie Cushman, Flora; Lucy Emmons, Ceres; Mrs. Lizzie Russ, Lady Asst. Steward; Leah Sweetser, Librarian. G. L. Cushman is proprietor of the Grange Store.

Note:—We regret to state that no account of Union Grange, in Sumner, has been received in time to be included in this account.

Census-1905

The population of the Towns of Buckfield, Sumner and Woodstock has been arranged in families where that arrangement has been possible. In these families, in addition to the resident living members, the names of the non-resident members are included. It should be borne in mind that this plan does not include the names of all former residents of this town, as the names of the non-residents appear only when one or both of the parents are still living in the town. After the name of each non-resident will be found the present address, when such address has been given to us. Non-residents are indicated by the (*).

When a daughter in a family has married, her name taken in marriage appears after her given name in parenthesis, the name preceded by a small m, thus: (m).

Following the names of the population is the occupations. To designate these we have used the more common abbreviations and contractions, as follows: Farmer—far; carpenter—car; railroad service—R R ser; student, a member of an advanced institution of learning—stu; pupil, a member of a lower grade of schools (including all who have reached the age of five years)—pl; housework—ho; laborer—lab; physician and surgeon—phy & sur; clergyman—clerg; merchant—mer; teacher—tr; blacksmith—blk; clerk—cl; bookkeeper—bk kpr; lawyer—law; mechanic—mech; machinist—mach; engineer—eng; maker—mkr; worker—wkr; work—wk; shoe shop work—shoe op; cotton or woolen mill operatives—mill op; weaver—weav; spinner—spin; electrician—elec; painter—ptr; carriage work—car wk; dress maker—dr mkr; insurance—ins; traveling salesman, or commercial traveler—sales, or coml trav; music teacher—mus tr; teamster—team; general work—genl wk; mariner—mar; employ—emp; retired—retd.

This census was taken expressly for this work during the fall of 1905, by Rev. B. V. Davis, of Kent's Hill, Me.

Census of Buckfield

NOTE:—The following Post Office abbreviations are used in the census of Buckfield: Hebron Station—Heb Sta.; Buckfield R. F. D. No. 1—No. 1; Buckfield R. F. D. No. 2—No. 2; East Hebron—E. Heb.; So. Paris R. F. D. No 3—S. P. 3.

A

Allen, Frank W far
Eva A (Murch ho
Wendell M
Beula A
Allen, Annie L (Keene Depot
Everett C pl
Urban K pl
Allen, Lizzie L ho & librarian Elm
Allen, William C cl Elm
Allen, C V truck
Edna L (Holland ho
Raymond A pl
Guy V pl
Alice E pl
Allen, Hamden A car Elm
Ames, Velzora T (Morgan ho
Atkinson, Susan J (Hall No 2
Atkinson, Albion G far
Bessie M (Monk ho
Oscar R
Glendon A
Athean, W D bapt clerg Elm
Cyril D stu
*Roy C pl
51105 No Main, Fall River, Mass
Atward, C B mer Church
Emily D (Irish ho
*Fred H P M
Rumford Falls
*Edwin F cl
21 Monument Sq., Portland
Atward, Asa ret'd mer
Augusta (Dearbon ho
Ernest M mfg
*Nervie E (m Allen
123 P, So Boston, Mass

Atward, E M mfg River
Dollie A (Dearborn ho & tel oper

B

Bacon, Thankful C (Long Elm
Mary A ho
Barrill, Emeline (Bickford No 2
Barrill, Estella A ho
Barrett, Sarah H ho
Bennett, Lepha M (Pillsbury No 1
*Frank far Paris Hill
*Lizzie A (m Bicknell Norway
*Annette phy Norway
*Carrie (m Hamlin ho 29 Cushman, Portland
*Lena L s s op Norway
*Effie M nurse Augusta
Bennett, Fred far
Lounettie A (Mason ho
Paul M stu
Eugene H stu
Ralph M pl
Bennett, Montrose E far No 1
Bennett, Charles D pl
Benson, Lillian M (Sieberling No 1
Gladys A pl
Doris R
Howard F
Benson, Stanley M lab
Gertrude (Wright ho
Berry, Charles H far
Cyntha S (Harris ho
*Ida A (m Hersey ho 249 Stevens Av, Woodfords
Berry, Charles F far
Sadie H (Dearborn ho
Frank D lab
Besse, A S far S Paris 3
Alfaretta (Turner ho
*Alice M (m Bonney East Sumner
*Everett M cl Rumford Falls
*Lillis L (m Pulsifier West Sumner
Besse, N E far S Paris 3
I Maud (Heald ho
Gerald H pl
Ralph A
Bonney, Emma (Simson No 1
Mertie M (m Emery ho
*Gertie s s op Norway
*Vina M (m Crockett Dixfield
Jennie M ho
Jessie E pl
Bonney, Shirley M far No 1
Lena M (Turner ho
Mason T
Bonney, Lucy P (Parris No 1
Leonard W

Bonney, Lizzie M ho North
Boston, Mary E (Griffen
S Paris 3
*Wm D blk
Boothbay Ctr
Grace A (m Snow ho
Bowen, C T shop oper
Morrill
Myrtie V (Waite ho
Stella M stu
Charles T Jr pl
Horace E
Bradbury, Thos s s op
Norway
Isabel A (Smith ho
Motelle T s s op Norway
Ethel I bk kpr Norway
Mae L checker Norway
Roy H cutter Norway
Bradbury, Malona R (Chase
No 1
*Thos s s op Norway
*Chas D
11 Central, Boston, Mass
*Rolfe
Princeton, Lowell, Mass
Bradbury, A W Ret'd Hotel
Bridgham, W P phy & surg
High
*Ella H (m Wood Auburn
*May (m Davis
Situate, Mass
*Nellie (m Burleigh
17 Bloomfield, Boston, Mass
Lucy L (Farrar
Bridgham, Thos S law High
Harold R R cond
L Belle (Nulty
head waitress
Briggs, Cyrus far
*Wm C mach
Winston, N Car
Abbie C (Stevens ho
*Lizzie C (m White
Sulphur Spr, Mont
*Walter N far
W Scarboro
E Carlton far
*Benj C Keens Mills
Roland O far
Briggs, S E far S Paris No 3
Clara L (Farrer ho
Roy W lab
Daisy M pl
Erald I pl
Leola M pl
Brown, Geo lab Church
Brown, Earle lab Church
Brown, W H ret'd Elm
Georgia A (Hickcock ho
Brown, Moses far
Sophronia D (Records ho
Brown, Eva I ho & far No 2
Bryant, Eliza F (Shaw No 2
James I far
Bryant, Jno B far No 2
Clara B (Waterman
Bryant, Jas I far No 2

Eleanor L (Stearns ho
Wilmer S pl
James
Buck, Miller
Inmate Town Farm
Burt, Eunice
Inmate Town Farm
Bucknam, Abbie F (Lowell ho
Chester S far
Buck, Chas A far No 1
Hattie C (Churchill ho
Maud H pl
Buck, H H far No 1
Katie E (Warren ho
Warren F pl
Blanch M pl
Doris F pl
Dorothy pl
Bertrand C
Buck, Henry M far No 1
Emogene P ho
*Delmer (m Farrer ho
West Sumner
*Lulie A (m Benson ho
So Paris
Charles A far
Myrtie B (m Damon ho
Bucknell, Francie M (Warren
*Endora F (m Ames
Rumford Falls
James E far
Nellie M (m Record ho
*Minnie M (m Barrett
Barrett
Bumpus, W E far No 1
Melvina E (Turner ho
Mabel T (m Ellingwood
Grace M (m—— ho
Myrtle ho

C

Caldwell, J C phy & surg
Josephine M (m Cole
*Bessie M (m Buck
Travis City, Mich
Wilber C stu
Hattie B (Wyman ho
Chase, Benjamin F far
Sarah A (Hasey ho
Chase, Charles A far
Sarah J (Mitchell ho
Tempie C (m Jordan ho
Chaffin, James B far
Emma I (Hayden ho
*Clara H (m Thayer
Haverhill, Mass
Mary E tr
*Dora B nurse
Manchester, Mass
Albion E far
Jas B Jr sled fact oper
Childs, C S mer & far
Florence A (Spaulding ho
Helen S (m Withington
Chesley, Adeline ho No 1
Churchill, C A far No 1
Hattie M (Churchill ho

Ervin E pl
Norman C
Churchill, Asaph far S Paris 3
Fannie (Murch ho
Myrtle F (m Tucker ho
*Clayton A far W Paris
*Jennie M (m Jewell Hebron
Howard L stu
Ernest B lab
Carl F lab
Mattie (m Buck ho
Flora B stu
Lizzie M pl
Nina G pl
Cloutier, A F blk Elm
Isabel D (Dorman dr mkr
Cobb, J W far No 2
Sarah E (Brown ho
Arthur W pl
Cobb, Florinda B (Besse
*Flora A (m Smith ho 159 Pleasant, Auburn
Dora H (m Records ho
Colby, J W S far S Paris 3
Mary A (Davis ho
Beatrice E
Naomi E
Cole, Martha N ho
Cole, Vergil car
Emma J (Gurney ho
*Thos P R R ser Mexico
*Walter V drug Lisbon
Harold J R R cl
*Geo G R R ser Rumford
Cole, A E dentist
Myrtie M (Spaulding ho
Ellen S pl
Arthur H
Cyrus E
Cole, Alfred P M
Mary E (Storer ho
Mary S stu
Alfred S pl
Cole, Edw G undertaker
Abbie E (Ellis
*E Herbert car Turner
Arthur E dentist
Alfred T trader
Annie G brush mkr
Cole, A T mer
Josephine (Caldwell
Conant, Geo I far No 2
Gertrude V (Bean ho
John C
Conant, Everett E far No 2
Lelia E (Hodgkins ho
Ione M pl
Irma H
Conant, Lena E pl
Conant, Harry L lab
Conant, Chas D lab
Conant, Florence G s s op
Conant, Sadie L s s op
Conant, Sanford E far
Faustine E (Records ho
Mary L ho

Fred lab
Conant, Ida M ho
Conant, W H barber Depot St
Mattie W (Bradeen ho
Willard R
Cooper, Fred M far No 1
Mary E (Pearson ho
Fred A far
Effie M ho
Lizzie E pl
Ralph A pl
Charles W pl
Cressey, Mrs M S (Spaulding North
Crockett, R block mill & ptr Depot St
Augusta E (Farrar ho
*Alice A (m Haskell tr S Paris
Crowe, J lab
Mary A (Devine ho
Cummings, R Leslie far No 1
Sadie R (Dunn ho
Cummings, Jos V lab North
Amanda M (Keene ho

D

Damar, S B ret'd No 1
Damon, J B far No 1
Esta M (Drake ho
Arlington mach
*Mabel (m Bisbee ho Hartford, R F D
*Blanche A (m Murch ho Ridlonville
Damon, Alton far No 1
Annie V (Bearce ho
Mellen L pl
Richard A
Damon, Bradbury F far
Viola A (Gammon ho
Wilson M far
Leona A ho
Linwood F pl
Mary H pl
Paul D pl
Harry J pl
Elbert M pl
Damon, Wm E far No 1
Ella E (Stiles ho
Clifford L pl
Carl E pl
Damon, Arlington mech
Flora F (Boeley ho
Amy E pl
Damon, J L far & store op Depot
Myrtie B (Buck ho
Alice L
Damon, Mosley J far Elm
*Ernest Norridgewock
*Stanley s s op Norway
Damon, Harriet D (Cummings Elm

Dammon, Hannah (Witham Elm
Davee, H G far No 2
Mary S (Cole ho
Davee, Emma J (Reed ho
Davee, Fred G far
Caroline C (Packard ho
Hattie S
Deane, Georgia ho
Dean, Laura A ho
Decker, W F lab & paper hgr
Linda A (Stevens ho
*Geo F lab
63 2nd, Hallowell
Decoster, Vergil P far No 2
Master Turner Grange
Edith B (Hooper ho
Cleora M stu
Edith H pl
Helen F pl
Decoster, B C far No 2
Nellie M (Hodgdon ho
Decoster, Edmund far No 2
Mary Anna (Stowe ho
*Harry A law
Little Falls, N Y
Fred S far
Chas E far
*Lester H mech
Ardmore, Pa
Decoster, Jos F far No 2
Decoster, Nellie E (Records
Thomas A stu
Devine, Annie M ho
Dorman, R S blk & car Elm
Joanna B (Ricker ho
*Mary A (m Briery ho
111 Pleasant, Auburn
Helen ho
Isabel D (m Cloutier
Dudley, Hannah E (Churchill No 1
Martha E ho
Jennie (m Lewis ho
Cyrus K far
Albert L far
Harry far
John far
P—— far, mech & blk
Dunham, Celia B (Buck No 1
Dunn, Wm B far No 1
Martha V (Getchell ho
Sadie R (m Cummings ho
Dunn, Sarah J (Drake No 2
Dunn, Albert L far No 2
Celia V (Damon ho
Gertrude M ho
Wendell L stu
Perley B pl
Dyer, Frederick R law High
Lena H (Maxim ho

E

Eastman, Albert T
far & cream coll East Hebron
Effie M (Brown ho
Albert R pl

Ora R pl
Beatrice E pl
Josephine O pl
Bertha E pl
Grace E pl
Eastman, Lucy (Burgess ho
*Chas stone mason Gorham, N H
*Willard far Hale
*Augusta (m Merrill Rumford Point
Oscar far
Edgar lab
Eastman, Oscar far
Florence (Whitman ho
George R pl
Ellingwood, I W far & ice bus Depot
Clyde M pl
Mabel T (Bumpus ho
Vernard W
Guy W
Elwood, A H far No 1
Georgia A (Hall ho
*Arthur H barber Skowhegan
*Angie A (m Currier ho Foxcroft
*Winnie M ho Skowhegan
*Martha G ho Norwood, Mass
Allison H Jr pl
Emerson, E L overseer Town Farm
Edith E (Emery ho
Eva Pearl
Emery, Mrs N B (Churchill No 1
Howard sea capt
Emery, Daniel W far Elm
Myrtie M (Bonney ho
Rachel A pl
James W
Ralph A

F

Farnum, Dan'l G far No 1
Margie (Moore ho
*Adella V (m Willis ho
*Eugene B thresher Manitoba, Canada
*Chas G far Lebanon
Farrar, Lucy L (Hayford High
*Carrie E (m Bradford ho 527 Cumberland Av, Portland
Fields, Bell (Hammond No 1
*Harlen H pl Auburn
Angie M pl
Flagg, H A far No 1
Octava (Buck ho
*Chas H ptr So Paris
John E far
Agnes V (m Fogg ho
*Annie V (m Getchell ho Keens Mills
Amanda M (m Cummings

Alice M (m Smith ho
Flagg, John E far No 1
Mary E (Smith ho
Agnes V pl
Elizabeth M pl
Bernice E pl
Susie E
Fletcher, Laura E (Holmes No 1
Lila B tr
Fogg, Wm L far No 1
Agnes V (Flagg ho
George W pl
Fogg, Patience E (Damon ho
*Marion E (m Chandler Lewiston
*Eveline I (m Damon West Auburn
*Jane C (m Samson West Auburn
*Margery A (m Record ho Paris Hill
Dorrillis P lab
Forbes, Henry B far
Addie A (Abbott ho
Martha A (m Holmes ho
Henry C far
Clinton F stu
Ida B pl
Forbes, Julia C (Bicknell ho
*Eleanor B clerg Gray
Foster, C E far, wood & lumb
Lelia (Winslow ho
Maud A ho
Mary E tr
Amos C wood & lumb
Leola M stu
Stanley E pl
Bessie A pl
Florence L pl
Foster, F F far S Paris 3
Laura A (Place ho
Guy C mech
Mae E pl
Anna F pl
Fitzhugh pl
Ava E pl
Joel A
Fuller, Elizabeth E cl
Fuller, Isaac D far No 1
Bertha M (Drown ho
Charles W
Glennie A
Fuller, Eugene F far No 1
Carrie E (Rowe ho
Lester E pl

G

Gammon, C H far No 2
*Mabel S (m Wood Hartford
Viola (m Damon ho
*Percy far Hartford
Chester far
Elmer far
Lyda ho

Gardner, Carlton ret'd
27 River
Mary S (Gammon ho
*Mary S (m Hobart
5724 Midway Park, Austin, Ill
Gardner, E L brush mkr
26 River
Elizabeth S (Jones ho
*Guy cl Mechanic Falls
Iva M brush mkr
Mary C pl
Gauthier, Chas A sect fore
*Lilla M (m Pierce ho
Mechanic Falls
Dell B cl
Annie L (Allen ho
Gauthier, Lewis far
Sarah (Sousie ho
*Ida (m Gauthier
Lewiston
Mary (m Pardise ho
Peter lab
Gerrish, Wm A ret'd Depot
Elizabeth A (Emery ho
*Lora L (m Laughton ho
West Bridgewater, Mass
Benj drover & apple buyer
John D ptr & paper hgr
Gerrish, J D ptr & paper hgr
Depot
Lula M (Wardwell ho
Bertha I stu
John A pl
Bert W pl
Harold D pl
Gerrish, Benj E drover
Minnie M (Harlow ho
Harlow pl
Gile, C F cl 38 Morrill
Minnie E (Harlow ho
Julia A pl
Glover, Mary R (Bisbee ho
C F far & watch rep'r
Gray, Chas E lab R F D
Catherine M (Farrar ho
Charles E Jr pl
Thelma M
Mina E
Minnie G
Infant
Gregg, John M lab No 1
Lottie E (Silver ho
Charles S pl
Edward W pl
Catherine A pl
Infant

H

Hall, A S far No 1
Alice May (King ho
Mary K pl
Harry T pl
Hall, A J far No 1
Mary (Hooper ho
Abbie (m Harlow ho
*Mattie G (m Hardy ho
Cambridge, Mass

Georgia A (m Elwood ho
*Harry L mach Deering
Hall, Oscar B nursery stock
Linett M (Holmes ho
*Herbert O brush mkr
Malden, Mass
*Edgar B mer
Rumford Falls
Hall, Mary P (Prince Church
Shirley P tr
*Harold H chemical wk
New York
Hammond, C L far No 1
Hammond, E E far No 1
Eva M (Fuller ho
Hardy, Mrs S J (Hilborn Elm
Harlow, J M brush mkr Depot
Sadie B (Maxim ho
Harlow, Julia S (Austin
38 Morrill
Charles F cl
Harlow, Fred A florist No 1
Harlow, Wm L far No 1
Mary A (Hall ho
*Flora A (m Rawson
Oxford
*Daisy M (m Morrill ho
West Auburn
Maud E (m Phinney ho
Percy W s s op
Fannie G tr
*Harry A cl
124 Chandler, Boston, Mass
*Leon I cl
124 Chandler, Boston, Mass
*Earl A elec cond
Haverhill, Mass
Alice B ho
Harper, John far Heb Sta
Hayes, Erastus ret'd Elm
Harriet L (Herrick ho
*Emily H (m Austin
Ridlonville
*Benj H box sh op
Farmington
*Arthur G box sh op
Farmington
Hayford, Leslie A
Heald, Carl M far No 1
Zilla (Jordan ho
Heald, E D grain dlr North
Carl M far
Jane S (Swallow ho
Heald, J C wood turner North
Olynthia A (Swallow ho
Fred E far
Preston C lab
Harry M phy & sur
Maud I (m Besse
Heald, B F wood turner
North
Rozilla (Monk ho
Washington wood turner
Elva L (m Stetson ho
Margaret P tr
Heald, W wood turner North
Lydia J (Varney ho
Carolyn V

Heald, Fred E far North
Florence A (Monk ho
Helen M pl
Heald, H M phy & sur River
Alice G (Cary ho
Alice O pl
Heath, Ada D ho
Hersey, Betsy J (Richardson Depot
*Lonella J (m Warren E Sumner
*Geo H plumber West Norwood, N J
Fannie A postal cl
*Alice A (m Taylor ho 21 School, Boston, Mass
Hodgdon, Fred far No 1
Susan (Johnson ho
Mabel pl
Ray pl
Hodgdon, Cindarilla (Damon No 1
*Chas H far Paris
Fred far
*Eugene R R ser Bryants Pond
Alonzo far
*Lizzie M (m Therin No 1
Hodsdon, L R blk & far H Sta
Eliza J (Merrill ho
*Lawrence S lab Auburn
*Chas S harness mkr 74 Front, Waterville
*Stanley O cl Turner
*Frank O blk W Minot
*Jennie F (m Perkins ho 27 Silver, Waterville
Hodsdon, Hazel M pl
Holland, Geo R ret'd Elm
Martha H (Phillips ho
Charles L cl
Edna L (m Allen ho
Holland, Fred mill op 42 Morrill
Bessie L (Moore ho
Doris M
Charles E
Holmes, Z C
Mary C (Jackson ho
Holmes, Claudy E far
Mattie A (Forbes ho
Holmes, Louisa E (Thurlow ho & nurse River
Holmes, Harry A lab River
Ethel H (Moore ho
Donald A
Hutchinson, Olive B (Whiting No 1
Hutchinson, B A mailcar No 1
Martha C (Purkis ho
Edward B pl
Carroll W pl
Arthur B

I

Ingersol, Jennie (Records Depot

Lena pl
Ida pl
Irish, Henry D far
Catherine F (Hines ho
Mabel M tr
*Fred S far Turner
Percy H far
Irish, Vestie M stu No 2
Irish, Benj L far No 2
Rose E (m Tuttle ho
*Lillian H (m Crockett Sumner
Irish, Fred L lab No 2
Irish, V D far No 2
Zoa (Hall ho
William H far
N Augustus far
Irish, H F far
Mellie F (Barrill ho
Irish, John M far
Irish, Abel far
Mary J (Turner ho
Irish, William ret'd
Mary A (Ford ho
Herbert F far
*Clara L (m Marston ho 9 School, Auburn
Irish, C M die block mkr
Almira H (Hodgdon ho
*Mary H (m Wardwell ho West Paris
*Ella H (m Clement Freedom
M Myra stu
Irish, H A die block mfg 30 High
V A (Nason ho
*Lewis M cashier bank Rumford Falls
*Luther M mfg die blocks West Paris
*Allen M draughtsman Naval dept 706 Washington, Bath
Elsie A pl

J

Jack, D R lab North
*Earl D Sumner
Mary (Merrill ho
Jacobs, H A lab Depot
Elsie H (Williams ho & dr mkr
Jewett, Jas ret'd Hotel
Jewett, Emma A (Emery Depot
Johnson, E H far E Heb
Augusta E (Tracy ho
Everett E far
William H far
Jordan, Chas ptr & paper hgr
Tempie C (Chase ho
Ethel G pl
Thelma L pl
Jordan, A S far No 1
Lorinda (Swan ho
Sherman A far

Jordan, Betsy (Chesley No 1
Jordan, Florian far
Janett B (Jordan ho
William F ptr
Florian Jr ptr
Llewellyn ptr
*Isaac s s wk
North Abbington, Mass
Charles ptr
Arvilla (m Records
Drusilla (m Heald ho
Jordan, Florian Jr ptr No 1
Grace A (Bruce ho
Valroy G ho
Raymond C lab
Jordan, Wm F lab No 1
Margaret A (Langan ho
Eugene E lab
William lab
Winnefred ho
John pl
Katie pl
Margaret pl
Charles
Jordan, Rufus O far
Hattie E (Gower ho
Emery O stu
Hattie I stu

K

Keene, Lott E far No 2
Martha M (Young ho
*Carrie M (m Bonney
So Paris
Alpheus A far
Keene, Calvin B far No 1
Cora A (Snell ho
*Bertha M (m Turner
So Paris
*Etta C (m Winslow
So Paris
*Sam'l J far No Paris
*Agnes J (m McCalister
So Paris
*Frank E far
West Paris, No 1
*Harold W
Bridge, Lowell, Mass
*Clyde M far
Bridge, Lowell, Mass
*Vinton C Wellesley, Mass
Grove C far
Keene, Amanda M (Flagg
North
Phillip L pl
Keene, Clara B (Barnes North
*John W law Golden, Col
Florence A (m Heald ho

L

Lewis, James far No 1
Eunice J (Dudley ho
Mineva M (m Farrar ho
Charles B lab
Harry J lab
Wilber
Lewis, Geo W far No 1

Libby, A W far
Cyntha P (Allen ho
*Long, John Davis
ex Sec Navy & ex Gov of Mass
Hingham, Mass
*Margaret phy & sur
Hingham, Mass
*Agnes (Pierce
Hingham, Mass
*Pierce stu
Hingham, Mass
Loring, Emily (Atwood ho
Low, R C far No 1
Low, Esther J ho No 1
Lowell, Jas A far No 2
Nellie A (Conant ho
Harry A pl
John E pl
Willie R pl
Helen F pl
Bernard C
Lowell, Alice J ho No 2
Lucus, Jane R (McIntire No 2
Sanford A R R ser
*Alford Hartford
*Lydia (m Mathews
Council Bluffs, Iowa
Lucus, S A sec hd
Depot, cor High
Bessie (Libby ho
Clarence W pl
Alice L pl
Bell L
Sanford W

Lunt, F H feed store
Eva M (Heath ho
*Bertha L (m Ulrich ho

M

Mason, Willard far No 1
Clinton L far
Mason, Naphtali ret'd North
Mason, A F mer & P M North
Emma A (Mank ho
Mason, Lewis C far No 2
Carrie E (Watson ho
Eva M ho
Mason, J B far & mach No 2
Mary A (Shaw ho
Maxim, Fred L far No 1
Grace M (Bumpus ho
Maxim, Charles far No 1
L Anette (Jordan ho
Charles W far
George A far
Fred L far
Pearl C
Maxim, Webster D far No 1
Martha M (Dougherty ho
Maxim, E die block mkr High
Lola T (Record ho
Sadie B (m Harlow dr mkr
Lena H (m Dyer ho
*Mayne, E C livery stable
Auburn
Juliette E (Bicknell ho
Millard plumb & steam fit

Mayne, Celinda L (Jordan No 1
McIntire, Jane R (Reed No 2
*Chas H far Hartford
Francis H
McIntire, Chas H far No 2
Martha C (Verrill ho
Geo A lab
Carroll E lab
Angie L pl
Frances E pl
Albert V pl
McKenney, C E ret'd Heb Sta
Merrill, Albert A far No 2
Merrill, Alice ho No 2
Meschidis, Myrtie I (Record Heb Sta
Edwin pl
Millett, Jas M far No 1
*Helen M stu Norway
Hattie E (Clifford ho
Richard M pl
Moore, J E sta agt 42 Morrill
Emily M (m Parsons ho
Sarah P (m Turner ho
Bessie L (m Holland ho
Ethel H (m Holmes ho
Morrill, Ralph H mer
Maud E (Russell ho
Morrill, N E mer 16 River
Sarah A (Crommett ho
Morrill, L L far No 2
Sadie S (Strout ho
Guy L stu
Emma W pl
Charles L pl
Ruth M pl
Morrill, Wm L lab No 2
Harriet A (Bicknell ho
Morse, Herman far No 1
Susan (Fletcher ho
W Tilson tr
Lawrence G pl
Linwood G pl
Morse, Delwin H far No 1
*Ona M pl Mechanic Falls
Ethel (Tucker ho
Morse, Sarah E ho No 1
Monk, Betsey P (Turner No 1
Monk, Lysander E far No 1
Ruviller C (Ames ho
*Ora B (m Turner So Paris
Monk, Lysander I far & blk
Mary A (Fuller ho
Monk, Florence A (Barnes North
Holman W elec eng
Josephine B tr
Murch, Danl car Elm
Ada C (Churchill ho
Helen B pl
Murdock, Mrs L B (Bangs Elm

N

*Nash, Geo O eng
Somerset Hotel, Boston, Mass

Julia F (Welch ho
George F
Nash, Frank V far No 2
Norton, Mary E (Linscott ho
*Georgia E (m Corbett ho
New Vineyard
*Annie L (m Harnden ho
Farmington
*Harriet (m Stone
Brunswick
*Millard F lab
Westminster, Mass
Nulty, Henry H High
Hotel Long & fore corn shop
L Belle (Bridgham
hotel hostess
William B stu
Alice H stu

P

Packard, Addison G far
Martha J (Folsom ho
Margaret E (m Record ho
Packard, Jesse far No 1
Lizzie J (Smith ho
Carlton G far
*Lizzie P (m Howe
Bryants Pond
George H far
Albion E ptr
Jesse W lab
Carrie C (m Davis ho
Packard, Geo H far No 1
Bell H (Clark ho
Lizzie M pl
Jessie C
Packard, J F shoe mkr
River
Julia F (Canwell ho
*Vira C (m Downs nurse
Fairfield
Leonora dr mkr
*Jas E U S ser Alboy, P I
Pardise, Lee lab
Mary L (Gauthier ho
Albert pl
Archie pl
Henry
Parker, Linzy H
Parson, J V far No 1
Nellie N (Durgin ho
C Ethel ho
Fred A stu
Everett V lab
Mabel A pl
Parsons, H far 30 Morrill
Celia A (Russell ho
Parsons, A far 30 Morrill
Emily M (Moore ho
Mildred A pl
Clifford A
Howard M
Parsons, M far & car Elm
*Ellen M cook
C M Hospital, Lewiston
*Viola (m Tyler
Canton No 1

*Olive J (m Winslow Lisbon
Hannah M (Moore ho
Phinney, Edwin L car
Maud E (Harlow ho
Abbie M pl
Edwin R
Pottle, A W M E clerg Elm
*Georgia E (m Warren Westbrook
Theresa W (Whitmore ho
Prince, C H ins & brush mkr Elm
Eunice A (Atward ho
*Harry C editor Waterville
*Josephine L (m Drummond ho Morrill Av, Waterville
*Lucy A (m Sherman Woodfords
Prince, H N ret'd Church
Sophie E (Dana ho
*Leonard K Princes Iron wks 555 West 33d, New York
Prince, Ardelia ho Elm
Purkis, A L far No 2
Anna E (Irish ho
Leon L pl
Archie W pl

Q

Quimby, Emeline (Trask ho
*Elzener (m Delano Livermore

R

Rawson, J A drüggist
Carrie J (Folsome ho
Harley F drug cl
Reckards, J P far No 2
Adelaide L (Cole ho
*Louisa M baker 1906 Mass Av, No Cambridge, Mass
Thomas lab
George B lab
*Abigail (m Briggs ho West Scarboro
Carrie C ho
John P Jr lab
Record, David far No 2
Record, H A far & R R ser Heb Sta
Record, Flora M dr mkr No 1
Record, David lab No 1
Record, Wm Jr lab Morrill
Dora H (Cobb dr mkr
Helen A (m Farrar ho
Walter J stu
Record, Wm shoe mkr & team
Lola (m Maxim ho
Chas A blk & mill op
William Jr lab

Eugene lab
George far
Jennie (m Ingersol ho
Benj blk & mill op
Harry stone cutter
Record, C A block mkr Elm
Ruth A (Thomes dr mkr
Lottie J stu
Records, Eugene lab Depot
Villa (Jordan ho
Maud ho
Records, Nellie E (Abbott
Fred W jeweler
Records, Martha M
(Spaulding North
Records, Benj L far North
Records, George B far
Margaret E (Packard ho
*Ella M (m Record
W Auburn
Warren L far
Addison G far
*Jos C telg op Carp, Nev
Records, Geo W far No 2
Annie V (Merrill ho
Blanche M stu
Records, Eliza A ho
Records, George L far
Nellie M (Bicknell ho
Ina M stu
Bernice L stu
Cleon B stu
Jennie E stu
G Wilber pl
Harold E
Records, Mary F ho & far
Richards, A S far No 1
Evelyn A (Coffren ho
Richards, Jas G far No 1
Addie R (Thorn ho
Louise M pl
Roberts, B F far & car No 2
Mabel A (Davie ho
Horace W pl
Frank L pl
Robinson, Wm F far No 2
Mary A (Irish ho
Mary F ho
Robinson, H M lab Morrill
Sadie L (Holmes ho
Bernard
Rodgers, C D (Reed Heb Sta
Rowe, Chas H car & far No 3
Emma A (Silver ho
Jesse L pl
Rowe, M L far & cream col
No 1
Laura B (Silver ho
Charles H pl
Angie M pl
Mildred P pl
Silva A pl
Rowe, Chas D far No 1
Margaret A (Farnum ho
M L far
*Walter E mach
Snow Falls

*Hattie E (m Billings Woodstock
Carrie E (m Fuller ho
*Celia M (m Lawrence So Paris
*Edna A (m Cole So Turner
*Myrtle B (m Pearl So Turner
Anson F far
Gould E far
Russell, John lab Elm
William F lab
Herbert lab
Russell, O G far No 2
*Geo W far Turner
*Minerva (m Perry No Auburn
*Susan B (m Mitchell N H
*Chas O far Mechanic Falls
*Genevieve (m Pratt Welchville
*John H R R ser Mechanic Falls
D F lab
*Mary E (m Ayer Hartford
*Frank lab Turner
*A L diver Nantucket Shoals, Mass

S

Sanborn, Charles A pl
Sawyer, A W far
*Minnie E (m Cole Lisbon
Ada I (Dow ho
Wilfred A far
*Nellie L (m Hathaway ho Turner Ctr
George L lab
Mabel F tr
Clara E tr
*Edith (m Hayes Farmington
Percy G lab
Flora E stu
Alexander D pl
Archie W pl
Emily A pl
Shaw, Albert far
Sadie A (Keene ho
Jennie M ho
Ervin A lab
Lawrence L pl
Shaw, George W far No 2
*Addie E ho Livermore
Mary E (Jones ho
Shaw, J W far No 2
Rose A (Irish ho
*Isaac taxidermist Myers, Fla
*Ellen F (m Dunn Hartford
Clarence W apple dlr & lab

Harold lab
Shaw, Henry G far No 2
Georgia A (Lowell ho
James A clerg
*Annie B (m Tibbetts Lisbon
H Lowell far
Cora Bennett pl
Shaw, Isabella D (Brown 17 River
Henry G far
*Katie B (m Morrill Sumner
Josie M bk kpr & mus tr
Shaw, Emily A (Thurlow ho
Shaw, I Wilson mer High
Ada M (Tuttle ho
Amy W tr
Howard P stu
Mildred W stu
Helen M pl
Shaw, Wilson far Elm
Elizabeth S (Spaulding ho
Warren S photo & engraver
Shaw, George B lab
Leonard B
Sieberling, Rowena H (Cooper No 1
Lillian M (m Benson ho
Skillings, Lucy A (Ladd Elm
Smith, John W far No 1
Alice M (Flagg ho
Smith, Bell (Fields ho No 1
Smith, E G far No 1
*Wm G s s op Gardiner
*Enoch s s op East Auburn
Rose C (Farrar ho
Snow, Grace A (Boston So Paris 3
*Bertha M (m Dyer Norway
*Inez A (m Williams ho Galgeria, C A
Harry E pl
Grace A pl
Spaulding, A W fruit fm North
Mary B (Keene ho
Spaulding, S J fruit fm North
Inez A (Buswell ho
Arthur C pl
Herbert A pl
Lella A pl
Lila M pl
Spaulding, Cyrus C mer
*Nellie B (m Bisbee Rumford Falls
Myrtie M (m Cole ho
*Lottie M (m Russell East Sumner
Carrie M (Sterling ho
Sarah A (m Morrill ho
Lila S mus tr
Spaulding, Benjamin mer
Sarah E ho
Mary L ho

Benjamin Jr mer
Gilbert B mer
Staples, E M lab No 2
Josephine E (Conant ho
Stetson, Althea H pl North
Sturtevant, Eldora A (Swan
Arthur L pl
Swallow, S D far North
Isabell (Turner ho
Eola Bell pl
Swan, Ambrose far No 1
Frances A (Taylor ho
Eldora A (m Sturtevant
*Minnie A (m Stevens ho
36 Railroad, Auburn
*Effie F (m Besse Hebron

T

Taylor, Charles L far
*Leon H s shop Auburn
Herman F pl
*Lottie E pl Auburn
*Hazel S pl Auburn
Laura W (Barnard ho
Webster L
Taylor, Carroll A far No 1
Alice I (Jordan ho
Taylor, Benj J far No 1
Jennie G (Mayne ho
Richmond M pl
Clarence B pl
Sylvia A
W Gleason
Terron, Henry lab No 1
Terron, Lizzie M (Hodgdon
No 1
Terrio, Alexander far No 1
Thayer, Mandeville L far
Annie A (Durgin ho
Beulah A pl
Verna P pl
Roger D pl
Thomas, M P lab Depot
George E far
Ella F (Farr ho
Thomes, Ellen M (Morrill
16 River
Thomes, Randolph C ret'd
High
Josephine (Cole ho
Thurlow, Marion W pl
Tilton, Gilbert
newspaper reporter
Cynthia M (Kilbreth ho
*A F 143 Pleasant, Auburn
fore butter dept creamery
Gilbert W repr shop
Tucker, Wm H far No 1
Myrtle F (Churchill ho
H Raymond pl
Harry E pl
Nelson A pl
Tucker, Lois L (Damon ho
*Nellie M (m Wood
103 Pleasant, Brockton, Mass
Tucker, Wm H far No 1
Tucker, William ret'd No 1

Lois L (Tucker ho
Tucker, Mary E (Griffin So Paris 3
Turner, W A blk Depot
Madge L pl
Dwight pl
Sadie (Moore ho
Turner, Isaac far So Paris 3
Hattie M (Farrar ho
Bessie A pl
George M pl
Leola M pl
Harold M pl
Norman E pl
Paul M pl
Turner, N M far No 1
Emma A (Page ho
Julia M (m Shaw ho
Arthur C pl
Amy M pl
Turner, O G far
Orpha M (Swan ho
Turner, D S far No 1
Sarah S (Maxwell ho
Lena M (m Bonny ho
Turner, Sophia A (Jordan No 1
*Benj J far So Paris
Otis G far
Lester L far
Melvena E (m Bumps ho
Turner, Wesley far No 1
Rose F (Record ho
*Ernest L s s op Norway
*Rachel A (m Dudley W Minot
Nellie J ho
Turner, Lester L far
Bertha J (Corbett ho
Ina M pl
Harry O pl
Leon C pl
Mildred B pl
Alton L
Tuttle, Vesta Y (Mitchell No 2
*Dan'l A clerg Bolster's Mills
Tuttle, Solon C far
Annie M ho
Tuttle, William W far
Tuttle, W R ret'd Elm
Maria W (Staples ho
Ada M (m Shaw ho
*Alton M nursery bus Highlands, Melrose, Mass
Tyler, R B cook River
Emma T (Wood ho
Mildred E pl
Wilbur R
Lottie E

V

Verrill, Eldora A (Sturtevant No 1
Vergil C

W

Waite, O E hostler Church
Esther J (Warren ho
*Ulla M (m Gould
Freeport
Myrtie V (m Bowen ho
Waldien, W E far No 2
M (Winslow ho
Kenneth E R R fire
Lillian cl
Josephine E stu
Ivan N pl
Waldron, Elizabeth S
(Fletcher ho
Mary E (m Storer ho
Warren, Rosetta J (Turner
No 1
Frank E repr shop
Gertrude E ho
Hazel E pl
Wilbur E pl
Georgia E pl
Warren, Merton A far No 1
Florence C (Sturtevant ho
Judith J pl
Clithroe pl
James T
Warren, Georgia A (Bicknell
No 1
Katie E (m Buck ho
Ormsby D far
Warren, O D far No 1
Agnes M (Winslow ho
Lena M pl
Warren, Fred W far No 2
Effie A (Newton ho
Avis E
F Milton
Warren, Osman far No 2
*John V hostler
Haverhill, Mass
Sarah E ho
Fred W far
Warren, A F harness mkr Elm
Elizabeth A (Young
James E harness mkr
Lizzie L ho
Washburn, F S mail car
Depot
Flora A (—— ho
F Leslie asst sta agt
Waterman, L C far No 2
Nellie J (Libby ho
Ethel L pl
E H pl
Marion L pl
Maurice O
Whitman, A C T far No 1
Elsie E (Packard ho
*Elsie E (m Crooker ho
Mechanic Falls
Florence M (m Eastman
Claude M far
Whitman, Louisa M (Leavitt
No 2
*Mabel F (m Merry
219 Summer, Auburn

Whitman, Ellis far No 1
Cora R (Record ho
Harold E pl
Flora E stu
Whitman, H W far No 1
Martha M (Dunn ho
Madeline E pl
Whittemore, F A far No 1
Agnes (Rose ho
Charles J pl
Grace B pl
Whitten, Lydia R (Record Turner
*Chas R savings bank treas Augusta
Winslow, Amos K far No 1
Melissa A (Jordan ho
Lelia (m Foster ho
Marinda W (m Waldron
Lorena M ho
Agnes M (m Warren ho
Witham, Lester F far No 2
Mary B (Wood ho
Lawrence J
Withington, Chas brush mkr Elm
Harriet (Quincy ho
*Lizzie (m Irish W Paris
Clara brush mkr
Withington, P L cl River
Annie M (Devine ho
Paul D
Withington, S C cl & dept sheriff
Helen S (Childs ho
Rodney C
Florence S
Withington, F P brush mkr Depot
Clara C (Stanwood ho
Joseph C brush mkr
Nathalie S stu
F Donald pl
Wood, Lydia E (Monk Depot
*Nellie G (m Cole Bryants Pond
William E lab
Emma T (m Tyler ho
Nina M brush mkr
Wood, John E far No 2
Jennie E pl
Clara C pl
Wood, John Y far No 2
*George V far No 2
*Herbert H far Turner Ctr
John E far
Forest P
Mary B (m Witham ho
Woods, Horace F insane asylum
Mary S (Silver No 1
Wyman, Hattie B (Lucas ho
Ethel L stu

Y

Young, Selina D (Staples No 2
James H far
Louisa M (m Whitman
John L far

Census of Sumner

NOTE: Where no address is given, **SUMNER** postoffice is understood. Other Postoffice addresses are as follows:

West Sumner—West; East Sumner—East; East Sumner, R. F. D., 1—East 1; Redding—Red'g; Barrett—Bar't; So. Paris, R. F. D., 3—So P 3; No. Buckfield—No. Bk'field; Buckfield, R. F. D., 1—Bk'fld 1; No. Paris—No. P.

A

Abbott, Vesta H (Doble West
*Henry A clerg
Bridgewater, N Y
Abbott, Clementina (Buck West
*Ella C (m Bisbee
Rumford Falls
Abbott, Arabine (Doble ho
Hattie F ho
Abbott, Carl M far
Florence M (Abbott ho
Abbott, Hattie A (Newell ho
*Quimby S lab East
Charles E far
Florence M (m Abbott ho
Grace L (m Dyer ho
Abbott, Charles E far
Edith C (Bates ho
Doris P
Allen, Mary E (Poland West
Arthur C lab
Adrian T lab
*Arlena F (m Furguson
Lewiston
Wilfred W pl
Ames, Willis S far
M Ellen (Tuell ho
Marion E
Ames, James A far & blk
Katie M (Canwell
Willis S far
Andrews, David far West
Lucy A (Wilson ho
*Cora L (m Webber
Richmond
*Percy M law
98 Exchange, Portland
Andrews, J T far Red'g
Chester G far
Leland J far
Edith M (m Cole ho
Mellie J far
Andrews, C G far Red'g
Lena F (Mayne ho

Andrews, Wallace J far
Annie E (Canwell ho
John W pl
Andrews, George W far
George W Jr far
James W far
Andrews, George W Jr far
Martha E (Canwell ho
Ethel G (m Buck
Willie W pl
Alton A pl

B

Barrett, S G far & tel agt Bar't
Minnie M (Bicknell ho
Edith F pl
Vergil G pl
Barrett, F L far & horse dlr Bar't
Emma A (Benson ho
Edgar S stu
Ralph L pl
Barrows, Jas A lab East
Mary K (Robinson ho
*Abbie A (m Haskell ho Fichburg, Mass
Alvin S ptr & paper hgr
Barrows, M C far West
Maud O (Brown ho
Annie M pl
Bertha R pl
Guy M
Barrows, Rosalind (Robinson East
George E far
*Orvill R far Hartford
Maria (m Goss ho
Julia R (m Jennings mill op
Barrows, G E far East 1
Hattie L (Alley ho
Fred W far
Barrows, H C retd West
Barrows, Geo H far West
*Herbert H car Portland
Elsie G (Chandler ho
Melville C far
Charles A lab
Bates, Mellen retd West
Abigail L (Gray ho
Benson, Elbridge S far
Mary A (Dunham ho
Hattie F pl
Gladys M
Susie M
Berry, Joan (Lawrence West
*Addie S (m Remick ho New Sharon
*John E clerg North Troy, N Y
Villa L (m West ho
*Henry H clerg
*Geo R Hamilton, N Y clerg & prof, P H D
*Anna M (m Kimball Bethel

Edith B (m Thomas ho
Bisbee, Winslow T far West
Amanda M (Thayer ho
Bisbee, Cynthia (York West
Bisbee, Thursa (Dearborn West
Minnie M (m Newell ho
Bisbee, Cynthia (Heald East
*Wm C far Canton 1
Bisbee, L B retd East
Eliza A (Heald ho
*Minnetta (m Osgood ho Rumford Falls
*Harry H lumb
*Fannie H (m Sampson 21 Pearl, Auburn
*Bennie H car Rumford Falls
Bisbee, L A far Bar't
Eva O (Robbins ho
*Clarence B blk
F Wilbert tr
Mabel M (m Dyer ho
Herbert L pl
Bisbee, Polly ho Bar't
Bisbee, Antipass far Bar't
Bonney, C H far
Ida J (Newell ho & dr mkr
Bonney, C A far
Effie L (Abbott ho
Elva E pl
Walter W pl
Owen A pl
Harold C pl
Bell V pl
Carl K
Bonney, Wm A far West
Ella A (Newell ho
Bonney, Victory A (Chandler West
C A far
Bonney, Frances (Mayne West
Angie I (m Robbins ho
*Maud C (m Day W Paris
Bonney, J H far East 1
Jennie H (Keene ho
Linwood K
Bonney, T W East 1
blk, guide & photog
Bonney, William H far
Blanche (Joy ho
Raymond J pl
Paul E pl
Dora A
Bonney, Edwin far
Bonney, Harrison far
*Abbie C (m Torry ho
338 Belmont, Brockton, Mass
W F mer & P M
Bonney, W F mer & P M
Clara M (Russell ho
*Harry H bk kpr
118 Brackett, Portland
Bonney, Chas A far East
Alice (Besse ho
Toleman B pl
Carl E

Bonney, Chas B far East
Cynthia T (Cary ho
*Sadie D (m Palmer Hartford
Hattie M (m Bosworth
Charles A far
Bonney, Isaac far East 1
Sarah D (Cary ho
Henry W far & car
Myrtie L (m Palmer ho
Bonney, H W far & car East
Winnie E (Palmer ho
Eva M ho
Ethel J pl
Tena F pl
Laura F pl
Mary J pl
Hester R
Bosworth, E R R ser East
Hatty M (Bonny ho
Bosworth, J D far East
Phila B (Jordan ho
Charles M eng
Bowker, Julia M (Brackett
Bowker, Willie E far
W Liona pl
Myrtle G
Laura M
Bowker, K P stage driver West
Vester H (Abbott ho
Minnie G (m Heath ho
*Mattie D (m Tuell W Paris
Bowker, A F far Red'g
Arvilla K (Andrews ho
*Arabella (m Cole Auburn
Bradeen, Ella G (Keene East 1
George H eng
*Mattie W (m Conant Buckfield
Perley S far
Clytie L ho & table girl
Edwin V blk
Wilmer B lab
Bragdon, E far & mason West
Alice J (Small ho
*Georgia A Woburn, Mass
*Ernest E mach Augusta
William M lab
Percie C lab
Clifton O pl
Velma I pl
Brown, F J West road com & tax col
Thersa F (Paine ho
Maud O (m Barrows ho
Brown, E I far & lumb East
May E stu
Claude I stu
Bryant, Mrs S R ho East 1
Bryant, Levi far East 1
Sylvia M (Maconey ho
*Chas O car
32 Anis Av, Brockton, Mass

*Nettie F (m Kerr
Rumford Falls
Mary E ho
*Willie L car
Rumford Falls
Bryant, Arthur L pl
Bryant, Robert E pl
Bryant, Frank M pl
Buck, Hiram H far
Georgia E (Bates ho
Buck, L C mail car Red'g
Ella M (Irish ho
George C lab
Wilbur L lab
May Bell pl
Buck, George C lab Red'g
Ethel (Andrews ho
Alton L pl
Carrol M
Pauline M
Buck, Clinton H far East 1
Gertrude L (m McAlester
Effie W (Young ho
Buck, C A far & apple byr
West
Alma J (Farrar ho
Alice E
Buck, Mary E (Allen West
Clifford R pl
Gladys F pl
Luellenyn A pl
Eva B pl
Winnie L
Bucknam, C M far West
Georgia (Thorn ho
Bertha B pl
Chauncy A pl
Hazel B pl
Arthur P
Burgess, Leroy S lab
Nettie O (Morrill

C

Cales, David R far
*Carrie (m Brown ho
No Main, Gardner, Mass
Anna J (Adams ho
*Gilbert L cl
Mattapan, Mass
*Carrie M Mattapan, Mass
*Mae A (m McGaw ho
141 Albion, Somerville, Mass
*Bertha (m Batton
52 Winderm
Forest Hills, Mass
Goldie nurse
Canwell, Estella A (Field East
*Gertrude B (m Hassam
164 Prospect, Brockton, Mass
Chadman, Fidelia A (Morse
*Nellie M (m Leckey
Ridlonville
James F lab
Rena E (m Hammond ho
Alna R pl
Chamberlain, Fred lab West
Annie (Schean ho

Chandler, Fred M far West
Effie B (Ford ho
Clara F pl
Luvell N pl
Una M pl
Chandler, H far So P 3
Emily (Dunham ho
Ella A (m Chandler ho
Elsie G (m Barrows ho
Jennie E (m Thomas ho
*Herbert H Medford, Mass
supt state prison
*Frank L s s op
Salem, Mass
Fred M far
Alice M (m Decoster ho
Chandler, R A cl West
Ella A (Chandler ho
Chandler, Walter M lab
West
Mamie M (Mayhew ho
Iola Mae
Annie E
Chandler, Geo A far West
Helen (Tuell ho
Hiram B T stu
Chandler, O G far West
Addie (Farrar ho
Leslie lab
Clark, Geo retd West
Clara (Gardner ho
Cobb, Henry W far East 1
Mabel A (Stephens ho
Charlotte E pl
Marion F
Cobb, James B far East 1
Estella J (Heald ho
Horace L
Coffren, Chas R far East
Ernest L lab
*Emma J (m Everett
So Paris
Louis A (m Hart ho
Lizzie E pl
Charles H pl
Cole, Georgia E (Dyer ho
*Fannie L (m Holt
Hanover
Arthur R blk
*Harry J freight cond
Brunswick
Cole, E E jeweler Red'g
Edith M (Andrews ho
Chester J
Lula M
Cooper, Mellin L far West
Fremont L far
*Florence M s s op S Paris
May A (Bragdon ho
Mellen L Jr
Cox, Edward lab West
Etta F (Haskall ho
*Vina (m Hadley E Peru
Stella E (m Davenport ho
*A E lab W Paris
Arthur G lab
Charles E lab

Crockett, Ruth B (Tuttle West
*Harold R car Dixfield
William A far
Crockett, Thursa (Bisbee West
Crockett, Samuel I far
Ruth B (Gammon ho
Esther G (m Gross ho
Abel W mfg
Crockett, A W mfg
Lillian H (Irish ho
Horace B pl
Annie M pl
Crofford, Cora A (McAlester
John H pl
Curtis, J C far & car West
Amanda J (Frost ho
*Ethel L (m Wood W Paris
Leslie R pl
William H pl
John R
Curtis, A H far & saw mill So P 3
Ava H (Hall ho
Archie G pl
Maynard C
Beatrice A
Curtis, Howard L far West
Martha O (Gowell ho
Cushman, W T far Bar't
Jessie G (Gardner
Lester A
Cushman, C G far Bar't
*Fred E sled fact op So Paris
Albert S far East 1
William G far

D

Damon, M F far West
Mehitable H (Cummings
*Hattie L s s op Norway
*Etta (m Chick Norway
Damon, F B far No Bk'fld
Harriet D (Shedd ho
Joseph W car
Arthur E mach
Damon, C L far & stone mason
Damon, Chas far No Bk'fld
Mary Ellen (Cox ho
*Lula (m Swift 37 Lisbon, Lewiston
*Edith (m Jordan ho 37 Lisbon, Lewiston
Damon, Angeline (Washburn Bk'fld 1
*Henry dentist Rockland
Damon, C B far Bk'fld 1
Lila (McRankin ho
Davenport, C A (Keene Bar't
Louis W far
*John F far Hartford
Mary A (m Noyes ho
Henry W blk
Susie E (m Gerry ho
C Alice (m Turner [illegible]

Adelbert F lab
Albert F lab
Davenport, H W far West
Florence S (Cox ho
Doble, Edwin G far West
Ella F (Field ho
W Ervin mer
Dorr, Flossie B pl
Dow, Moses D far West
*Hattie M (m Besse ho
Bryant's Pond
Lucy A (Trask ho
Downs, Wm H far East 1
Rachel (m Tucker ho
Mary R
S Blanche ho
Duffney, Frank pl
Dunham, C E West
mer & postmaster
Myrtle C (Dugan ho
Earle M pl
Dunn, V A far
*Minnie (m Lunt
Falmouth
*Lewis M mach
Rumford Falls
*Nettie S (m Howe
Hanover
Georgie E (Cole ho
Dunn, John
Dunham, M W far West
Frances M (Bonney ho
Dyer, George F far
Georgia A (Keene ho
Julian R far & car
Wallace L far
Fidelia M (m Andrews ho
*B O far
N Abbington, Mass
Dyer, Wallace L far
Grace L (Abbott ho

E

Eastman, H Wseedsman East
Rachel W (Stetson ho
Leona E ho
Esther H pl
Augusta T pl
Roger pl
Ellingwood, Clyde M pl East

F

Fales, Elton lab West
Farnum, John F lab East
Ethel F (Jacobs ho
Earl J
Farrer, E L lab Red'g
Cyrena E (Jordan ho
Arthur L
Alice L
Farrer, Florinda (Cox ho
Abbie (m Chandler ho
*Nellie (m Rowe
Woodstock
*H jewelor W Paris
Farrer, Fredrick A far West

Polly P (Buck ho
Carlton far
*Walter far Canton 1
Leroy far
Luella L ho
Augustus A car
Farrer, Maurice lab West
Helen (Records ho
Farrer, W S lab West
Syrena (Andrews ho
*Minnie B (m Carter ho
Georgia I (m Burgess ho
Alta M (m Harper
*Eva E (m Billings
Hartford
Farrer, F far & cattle byr West
Henrietta S (Buck ho
Horace blk
Ernest L horse dlr
*Mabel E (m Foster
Bryants Pond
Flossie L ho
Alma J (m Buck ho
Lynn J lab
Farrer, Fairfield far West
Delma L (Buck ho
Farrer, Horace blk West
Minnie E (Gilman ho
Farrer, Jefferson far West
Margaret J (Damon ho
*Elery C mach
East Braintree, Mass
*Carroll L mach
Barberton, Ohio
Fogg, M R supt corn sp & far
Sadie J (Larrabee ho
Albert M lab
Ford, M F far West
Mary E (Thompson ho
Norman F
Ford, Elmer N far West
Lettie B (Abbott ho
Norwood A
Ford, N C far West
Sarah M (Russell ho
Elmer N far
Madison F lab
Effie B (m Chandler ho
Foss, Bertrand C elec East
Foster, G B far
Jennie M (Maskell ho
*Nellie M
type writer & bk kpr
19 West Cedar, Boston, Mass
Wilber B car
Stanley D pl
French, Geo W far West
Elsie E (Palmer ho
*Mary E (m Perham
Bryants Pond
Warren W far

G

Gammon, I F far East
information withheld

Gerry, Alvin M far West
Susie E (Davenport ho
Ella A pl
Nellie L pl
Elsie V pl
Ethel M pl
Lula E pl
Elden G
Amy G
Gilman, Minnie E (—— West
Albert S pl
Glover, Agnes F ho East
Gorden, Lizzie M (Field
dr mkr East
*Nellie M (m Richardson
230 Pierpoint, Rochester, N Y
Goss, Geo car & mech East
Maria (Barrows ho
Grinier, Archie lab East
Enilia (LeLelaberta ho
Freda
Grose, George D far
Esther G (Crockett ho
Dorothy pl
Grose, John D lab
*Marion (m McCormac
Weymouth, Mass
*Herbert D supt s shop
Whitman, Mass
*Bessie (m Brett
Hull, Mass
*Perle B bk kpr
9 Medford, Boston, Mass

H

Hadley, C. B. far West
Harriet L (Bacon ho
Leon S pl
Alton C pl
Lena M pl
Albert E
Ida L
Hamilton, J K far Red'g
Hammond, T W far East 1
Sibyl M (Libby ho
Eldred C pl
Elva S
Infant
Hammond, B G far Hartford
Rena E (Chadborne ho
Hammond, Wesley M far
Fidelia A (Chadman ho
Clara S pl
Chester W pl
Hammond, Charles L lab
Lydia M (Wing ho
Handy, Archie R pl
Handy, Florence A pl
Handy, Frances C pl
Harlow, Herbert lab East
*Stella (m Sargent
Temple
Grace pl
Jennie (L'Heureux
Hart, Stanley N lab East
Lois A (Coffren ho
Haskell, Geo H elec East

Abigail A (Barrows ho
Hazelton, A D far West
*Lester E lab
Mechanic Falls
Mabel E (m York ho
*Lillia E (m Martin
Oxford
Clara A (Edgcomb ho
Elva O pl
Wallace L pl
Heald, Stephen C far East
Ella S (Robinson ho
Samuel S lab
James H far
Amy E (m Russell ho
Heald, Abel S retd East
*Jas F jeweler
Sheridan, Wyo
*Jennie M (m Coffren
Sheridan, Wyo
Heald, Adeline E ho East 1
Heald, John far West
Margaret P (Jordan ho
Mary A tr
*Ethel L (m McDonald
Farmington
Heald, Jas H far Bar't
Tinnie L (Keene ho
Heald, L B far Bar't
Ada F (Bonney ho
*Sabra R (m Parlin
Woodfords
Stella J (m Cobb ho
Heath, Gilman W far West
Arabella T (Farrar ho
*Eva M (m Lunt Buckfield
*Ada D ho Bk'field
Heath, Herbert T far
Minnie G (Bowker ho
Guy B pl
Wilfred D pl
George H pl
Vesta Bell
Hazelton, Cyrus R far West
Katie A (Ring ho
Thurlow C lab
*Edna A ho So Paris
Clara R ho
Agnes M ho
Bessie A pl
Harry H pl
Lewis J pl
Levi H pl
Minnie L pl
Colby L pl
Eugene A pl
Hiram P
Walter E
Hodgdon, Ann H (Robinson
East
Ralph L lab
Hollis, Abel T far Bar't
Emma M (Ryerson ho
Lois E pl
Etta M pl
Earl T pl
Carl R
Hollis, A F far Bar't

Hattie E (Bisbee ho
Harold B pl
Hopkins, Wm H lab East
Nora F (Crocker ho
Minnie E pl
Horton, A W far East 1
Caroline (Robinson ho
Howe, Hiram far West
Harriet J (Ruck ho
*Luther C s s op
106 Main, Brockton, Mass
*Charlotte A (m Merrill
Rumford Falls

I

Irish, Georgia L ho
Irish, Alfred L lab East

J

Jack, Earl D far North
Mamie A (Fields ho
Merle F
Pearle R
Jewett, Herbert G lab West
Jordan, S spool mill op Red'g
Lizzie A (Hamilton ho
Ernest lab
Hazel I ho
Jordan, Luella B
Jordan, Ruth pl
Jordan, Marshall pl North
Jordan, William pl North
Jordan, Edith E (Damon ho
37 Lisbon, Lewiston
Charles W pl
Oliver M pl
Ruth E
Bertha L

K

Kannagh, M lab Red'g
Gladys M (Fletcher ho
Keene, Danl B far East 1
Rebecca C (Dean ho
*Ella G (m Bradeen
Hartford
*Lawren A far East 1
*Annie L (m Gautier
Buckfield
Keene, Hersey R
Keene, Mary A (Dyer ho

L

Lamb, G T far Red'g
Dianna S (Bowker ho
*Eva L (m Farnum
Wilton
Harold F lab
Olive M pl
Lathrop, Warren E far West
Fannie S (Bicknell ho
Clayton W pl

M

Marston, E J phy & sur West
Sadie A (Sparks ho
Marston, Everett W pl West
Maxim, Henry B far West
Lillian M (Allen ho
Edna D pl
Aiden A
Maxim, George A far East
Mary W (Robinson ho
Mayne, Clinton far No P
*Effie (m Robinson W Paris
*Percy P man co West Point
*John fire West Point
Mary A (m Chandler ho
*Frank lab No P
Lena (m Andrews ho
McAlester, F A far & mason
Gertrude L (Buck ho
Edith B pl
Blanche M pl
Howard F
McAlester, Isabella C (Chadburn ho
Francis A far
*Mary E (m Handy Farmington
Cora A (m Crofford cook
Merrill, Cyntha E (Ames ho
Miller, Eunice H (Cobb East
Gertrude pl
Morrill, John H far
L Ora (Marston ho
J Clyde lab
Ethel F ho
Nettie O (m Burgess ho
Angie M pl
Morrill, G Wilson car & far
Berdena B (Ryerson ho
Morrill, Geo C far & team
G Wilson car
Enoch B lab
Katie B (Shaw ho
Gladys S pl
Lura B pl
Alfred R pl
Merlyn C M pl
Morrill, N P far West
Grace M (Merrow ho
Hazel R pl
Harold W pl
Morrison, Eugene A mill man
Morse, Fidelia A (Putnam ho
*Carrie B (m Austin Rumford Falls
Muttart, L W cong clerg East
Annie R (Hockin ho
*R Everard mech 193 Park Av, Alameda, Cal
Charles R stu
George E pl
Lorenzo A pl
John S pl

N

Newell, O L far East 1
Laura E (Young ho
*Alice I (m Austin W Peru
Ella A tr
Newell, Mary J (McKenney
Hattie A (m Abbott ho
Oscar L far
*Chas R lab So Paris
*Leslie E blk & butcher Paris Hill
Ida J (m Bonney ho
*Flora A (m Haynes So Paris
*Geo A car Quincy, Mass
Newell, Harriet A ho
Newell, Minnie M (Bisbee West
Eula M pl
Newell, Geo D far West
Mary A (Davenport ho
Arthur C pl

O

Oldham, Sidney A far East
Osgood, Lavina J (Russell ho East

P

Packard, Geo West saw mill op
Belinda (Young ho
Jas saw mill op
Palmer, H S far East 1
Palmer, Fred S car East 1
Lillia F (Stetson ho
Richard R pl
Muriel F pl
Palmer, Dan'l R far East 1
Fred S car
Winnie E (m Bonney ho
*Jos F far East
*Martha J (m Knight Turner
Lizzie M (Gordon dr mkr
Palmer, Harriet H (—— East
Arthur L postmaster & tel
Palmer, A L postmaster & tel East
Myrtie L (Bonney ho
Chester B pl
Parlin, Addie E ho
Philbrick, Elias B lab
Poland, H W far East 1
Frances E (Young ho
Llewellyn H lab
Florence L pl
Pomery, Alonzo far East 1
*Lucius R far Winslow
Cynthia A (Bosworth ho
*Chas R mill man So Paris
*Lula M (m Daniels So P 3
Nellie W ho
Edith A pl
Proctor, H A ptr West

Pulsifer, Mary J (Freeman
West
*Emma J (m Horn ho
41 Sagamore, Lynn, Mass
*Frank F car
21 High, Natick, Mass
Pulsifer, Geo E nursery agt
West
Flora H (Ripley ho
Pulsifer, Harry E far West
Lillis L (Bessey ho

R

Redding, Isabell S (Holman
Red'g
Willie V mill man
George E mill man
John F lab & guide
Percy V
postmaster & mill op
*Cynthia I (m Bisbee
15 Myrtle, Auburn
Redding, G E mill & lumb
Red'g
Lizzie G (Davis ho
Hubert E pl
Harlon D pl
Verna
Redding, P V Red'g
mer & postmaster
Alice E (Cole
mer & asst postmaster
Sadie E
Redding, W V mill & lumb
Red'g
Lillian (Andrews ho
Ripley, Perley far East 1
Ripley, Perley J far East
Roberts, Thankful L (Bonney
Elmer E far
Roberts, Elmer E far East
Mabel A (Bowker ho
Robertson, Helen S (Small
West
*Enoch B pay master
232 Norfork, Cambridge, Mass
Robbins, Everett D far West
Angie I (Bonny ho
Beulah F pl
Rupert B pl
Robinson, Asa far East
Robinson, L E far East
Estella A (Canwell ho
Josie F s s op
Robinson, Martha W ho East
Robinson, J H far East 1
*H M far Buckfield
Sophia H (m Foster ho
*L C eng Waterville
J Perley far
Robinson, Sharon far East
Hannah B (Briggs ho
*Addie F (m Keene
Buckfield
Robinson, Asa A Bar't
far, car & guide
Betsy O (Benson ho

George V lab
Lucius V lab
Roscoe V lab
*Alta (m Stiman Livermore Falls
Victor lab
Harrison L lab
John pl
Lillian F pl
Pearl C pl
Valentine I pl
Eugene E pl
Robinson, A S far East 1
Cynthia E (Bisbee ho
Rowe, Herbert E lab
D M (Cole ho
Vergil H
Rowe, Geo H far Red'g
Josephine (Benson ho
Herbert E lab
Mellen M lab
Flora M s s op
Clifton M pl
Rowe, Jennie E ho East
Russell, A J mail car East 1
Grace M (Wadleigh ho
Earl J
Russell, Rebecca S (Irish East
Russell, Ellis P mer East
Charlott M (Spaulding ho & cl
Lionel J pl
Russell, E L butcher East 1
Amy E (Heald ho
Beryl pl
Russell, Hannah E (Webber
Harry E far
Walter A far
Russell, Harry E far
Ida F (York ho
Susie L pl
Hattie M pl
Lena G pl
Harry L pl
Russell, F J butcher East
Lucy C (Ellis ho
Nellie W (m Stephens ho
Ellis P mer
Ernest L butcher
Ryerson, Berdena B (Fletcher
C Bernice
Ryerson, Emery A far West
Esther S (Arno ho
Reta C
Ryerson, H L car West
Nellie V (Pulsiver ho
*Susie E (m Richmond Oxford
Ryerson, Rosetta (Heath West
Emma M (m Hollis
*Wilson H car Lawrence, Mass
Charles D far
Ryerson, Frank L car East
Tessie M (Williams ho
Erlon M

S

Sanders, R O far & team Bk'fld
Clara (——
Millie
Sewell, C M far & postmaster Bar't
Shed, Harriet D (Bragdon ho
*Mary E (m Merrill Roxbury
Slattery, E C far So P 3
Margaret P (Watson ho
*Thos H far Paris Hill
*Jos J lab Paris Hill
*Wm J cl E Hebron
Edward D lab
*Catherine (m Bridgton Lewiston
Roscoe D lab
Francis C lab
Mary E stu
Small, Eleanor G (Moore West
Helen S (m Robertson ho
*Byron M Farmington cl of courts & law
Daniel D far
Small, Dan'l D far West
Annie B (Parlin ho
Gilbert M pl
Mildred E
Spaulding, George G far
Charlotte (Morrill ho
Kirk W tr
Spaulding, Kirk W tr
Jennie (Stetson ho
Spaulding, Lewis B Bk'field far & phos agt
Lucy E (Sawyer ho
Amorilla B nurse
Leda A nurse
Spaulding, Lilla M (Morrill Bar't
George W lab
Harold M pl
Esther B pl
Ruth A pl
Sickels, Wm H lab West
Starbird, Chas far West
Stephens, R G far & mach East 1
Nellie W (Russell ho
Carl M pl
Paul C pl
Stephens, T J far & mason East 1
Emeline W (Ricker ho
Roscoe G far & mach
*Mary E (m Field Bristol, N H
Mabel A (m Cobb ho
Stetson, S F far East 1
R Adelaide (Rowe ho
Jennie S (m Spaulding ho
*Ernest R H cl 170 Worthington Springfield, Mass

Stetson, J T retd East 1
*Matilda J (m Merrill So Paris
*Walter J Auburn treas Mechanics Savings Bank
*Ezra H shoe mfg So Weymouth, Mass
*Herbert cl Spokane, Washington
*Chas H tr Nashville, Tenn
Rachel W (m Eastman ho
Lilla F (m Palmer ho
Stetson, R N far West
Althea H pl
Elva L (Heald ho
Stetson, Hezekiah far East
Stevens, W O far & bee kpr So Paris 3
*Lora E (m Stevens No Paris
Vern M (Davis ho
Carl H lab
Harold D pl
Charles W pl
Lucy E pl
Sturtevant, Henry A far
Eliza P (Merrill ho
Flora E ho
Bertha A ho
Suckles, James L far East
Dora M (Lombard ho
*Alice F (m Ferring Errol, N H
*Idella M (m Barker Hartford
Swift, I O far West
Hattie M (Pulsifer ho
Bertha A pl

T

Taylor, W F far Bar't
Lilla M (Spaulding ho
Thomas, H C far West
Edith B (Berry ho
Marjorie E pl
Walter L pl
Ida F pl
Richard L
Edna L
Thomas, C L far
Lewis W team
C M far
*Almira (m Mathews Whitman, Mass
Evie R (m Varney ho
E May (m Smith ho
Thomas, C M far West
Jennie E (Chandler ho
Thompson, Mary A (Green ho
Frank J far
Fred P far
Tibbetts, Harry F lab
Cora A (Abbot ho
Eva M pl
C Arabine pl
Townsend, Eleanor A

Townsend, Salome A
Tucker, W D far East 1
Rachel F (Downs ho
Harold E lab
*W Elden R R sec hd
Hartford Ctr
E Edward fireman
Alice L pl
Philip A pl
Helen M pl
Tuell, Jas A bakery West
Etta (Tuell ho & cook
Tuell, E S far West
Flora L (Gurney ho
Mary E (m Ames
Emily stu
Turner, C Guy far East 1
C Alice (Davenport
ho & tr
Tuttle, Richmond far West
Nancy J (Bosworth ho
*Mary R (m Glover
Livermore Falls
Charles B far
Hattie T (m Young ho
Ruth B (m Crockett ho
Tuttle, Chas B far East 1
Imogene (Sturtevant
Mabel A pl
Twitchell, Eliza B (Whitman
ho & far

V

Varney, Lydia C (Bonney ho
Newell M far
*John C photog
19 Tenth Av., Haverhill, Mass
Olpha L car, far & blk
*Geo R clerg
Bellingham, Wash
*Cora M (m Bartlett ho
19 Tenth Av., Haverhill, Mass
*Jas D phy & sur
Chesterville, Ohio
*L Jennie (m Heald
No Bk'field
Varney, N M far
Evie R (Thomas ho
Charles E stu
Harry F far
J Hattie stu
Olpha N
Donald C

W

Webster, Abagail L (Thorn
West
Flora M
Samuel D lab
West, Anna C (Cushing West
George C far
West, George C far West
Villa L (Berry ho
George Harlan pl

Henry L pl
Frank E pl
Wheeler, A B far West
Hannah G (Richardson
*Walter J mill op
Locks Mills
Lulu M (m Merrill ho
Whitman, Wm far So P 3
Willey, Imogene S (Heald
East
Wilson, Lucy A (Washburn
West
*Mattie A (m Bryant ho
16 Park, Waterville
Wing, Fred C car
Anna E (Hammond ho
Dora B
Wing, Clark A retd
Lyda M (m Hammond ho
Fred C car
Lydia A (Putnam ho
*Isaac A car
Rumford Falls
Etta M (m Davis ho

Y

York, Benj S far West
*Dora B (m Kimball
Berlin, N H
*Oneida M (m Davis
Bryant's Pond
Frank R far
Alton M far
York, Alton M far
Mabel E (Hazelton ho
Leone A pl
Orlan V pl
Margaret A
Young, Henry A retd West
Hattie T (Tuttle ho
Effie W (m Buck
Linnie H (m Packard ho
Young, Jos F lab West
Emily D (Mason ho
Annie R ho
Gladys N pl

Census of Woodstock

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A

Abbott, Cullen far No 1
Nellie (Billings ho
Leslie E drilling & far
Elva E pl
Lillie M pl
Abbott, E F mill op
Sarah G (Hopkins ho
Leona M
James H
Adams, Chas C sea Capt
Mabel I (Russ ho
Russell C pl
Lutie J pl
Allen, Jennie M (McEgan
Mabel E bk kpr
*Fred M drug store
289 Cumberland Av, Portland
Mark C mer
Andrews, Rachel H (Perry W Par 1
W P far
Edwin mer & hotel
Andrews, I W undertkr & mfg
Elvira W (Bryant ho
Frank R undert'kr & mfg
Alva M undert'kr & mfg
Andrews, A M undert'kr & mfg
Gertrude A (Harden ho
Eva B pl
Harlan M pl
Andrews, F R W Par 1 undert'kr & mfg
Olive (Lurvey ho
Andrews, Ralph B far No 1
Andrews, T J retd vet No 1
Anna (Soule ho
Ralph B far
Edwin L far
*Warren Indian Ter
*Eugene s s op
Andrews, Edwin hotel prop & mer
Jennie M (Allen ho
Arkett, John retd

*Isabel M (m Severance 233 Turner, Auburn
Albert W photog
Arkett, Albert W photog
Mary G (Dodge ho
Alberta H stu
Robert D pl
Ayer, Hannah S (Durgin
Sarah E (m Day ho

B

Bacon, Hiram far W Par 1
Mary A (Noyes ho
*Luella F (m Procter Paris Hill
*Gertrude L (m Marston W Paris
Bacon, H A car No 2
Stella M (Bowker ho
Bacon, Abel far No 2
Bacon, H C far No 2
Alice A (Hathaway ho
Myrtle A tr
H Alton cont & bldr
Ralph M stu
Bean, Edw O far No 1
Lucy J (Crockett ho
Clifton E pl
Esther C pl
Chester
Beck, Lyman H far W Par 1
Augusta A (Dunham ho
Beck, Fred S far W Par 1
*Frank H mer Norway
*Lizzie E (m Downing Oxford
Lula B (Kimball ho
Leah M pl
Arthur L pl
Doris L
Beckler, C E far No 2
Gladys E (Perham ho
Bemis, D W far No 2
Benson, Abner E far W Par 2
Maud T (Keith ho
Kenneth E pl
Helen K pl
Gerald H pl
Berry, Chas H mill op
Della A (Staples ho
Berry, H C stone cut & blk
Angie M (Cole ho
Bessie, A L eng
Hattie M (Dow ho
Marian E pl
Bicknell, Nellie ho W Par 2
Bicknell, Evelyn B (Cushman W Par
Nellie ho
*Agnes mill op Lynn, Mass
John A far
*Evelyn (m Gray W Paris
Bicknell, J A far & car W Par
Billings, Augustus retd No 1
Harriet S (Rowe ho
W A far

*Lorenzo far Milton Pl
Merrill J far
Nellie R (m Abbott ho
*Jas H far E Sumner
Elmer E far
Billings, Elmer E far
Lula M (Whitman ho
Billings, M J far No 1
Ina M ho
Walter E far
Susie M pl
Hattie M (Rowe ho
Harry C pl
Maggie B pl
Charles D pl
Della M pl
Billings, W A far No 1
Billings, Emerson far No 2
Anna R (Russell ho
Benj R spool mill op
*Lula M (m Brown
Milton Pl
Hermon E far
Billings, Hermon E far
Bessie E (Bryant ho
Royden H
Billings, W H far No 2
Ellen (Gill ho
Bertha L pl
Eva L pl
Billings, B R tax col & truck
M E (Day
Billings, Abbie M (Russell
Walter far
Billings, Ernest lab No 2
Bisbee, Georgia A ho No 1
Blake, D N far No 1
Eunice E (Fifield ho
Blodgett, Betsy C (Hall ho
*Vernie E moterman
Holden, Mass
*Ella F (m Jackson
Rumford
Leon E stu
Bolster, Albert C quarry
May L (Dunham ho
Agnes L (m Brooks ho
Gertrude M ho
Bowker, James L P M
Ellen E (Davis ho
*Ervin L eng
37 Morse, Portland
*Percy J cl
Wakefield, Mass
Albert L mill op
*Wilford F printer
274 Salem, Malden, Mass
*Pearle M (m Muller
So Waterford
*Esther M (m Stanley
Bethel
Elmer R stu
Bowker, Albert L mill op
Nellie S (Stitwell ho
Bowker, A L mill op
Nellie (——
Bowker, A P far No 2
Angeline (Dudley ho

*Oscar F moterman Woodfords
Stella M (m Bacon ho
Brooks, S W spool mkr
Agnes L (Bolster ho
Philip C pl
Clyde R
Brown, Lorette P (Bean ho
*John S far & millman No 1
Emma M (m Davis ho
Bryant, A S far
*Lizzie M (m Lane ho
91 Lancaster, Portland
Georgia E (m Stone ho
Bryant, H D spool mill op
Eva A (Dunham ho
Bessie E (m Billings ho
Lottie H stu
Lester D stu
Bryant, M K (Delano W Par 1
*Willard E far & butcher Paris
*Willie O far Paris
Walter L far
Bryant, Ernest pl W Par 1
Bryant, Edith E (Russell ho
Bryant, George W far
Iva M (Estes ho
Ruby I pl
Willie H pl
Abbie L pl
Maxine E
Bryant, John M far W Par 2
Elmer E far
Annie (m McCloud ho
*Jessie s s op Auburn
*Lora (m Herrick Greenwood
*Lottie (m —— Greenwood
*Archie s s op Auburn
Bessie L (m Tambly Paris
Bryant, Hannah (Perkins W Par 2
Buck, Carl lab No 1
Buck, Charles H far No 1
Ada (Carver ho
Fred lab
Fannie ho
Buck, George E mill op
Arabella (Estes ho
Vivian pl
Viola M
Buck, Chas H far & blk No 1
Georgia E (Cole ho

C

Chase, Lucy (Cole ho
Estella C (m Ford ho
A Mont printer
Chase, A Mont printer
Anna T (Faulkner ho
Francis F printer
Ralph W far

Alden stu
Coffin, George K lab
Minnie (Anderson ho
Coffin, A E far & horse dlr No 1
Lillian H (Bean ho
Ola M pl
Hazel M pl
Cole, Georgia E (McCrillis ho
Hermon far
Ida M ho
James E pl
Amy B pl
Cole, Louisa M ho
Cole, Edwin H spool mkr
Louise (McAlister ho
Cole, Cora (Berry ho
Fred car
Cole, Eugene mer
Annie L (Stevens ho
Robert C stu
Cole, Harry D wood dlr
Jennie M (Houghton ho
Guy R stu
Bessie L stu
Doris S
Cole, F P far & fore spl mill
Alice L (Bryant ho
Cole, Cynthia A (Bryant ho
Cole, Eugene mer
Annie (m Stevens ho
Clarence E cl
Cole, Albina S (Berry ho
Edwin H spool mill op
Etta C (m Day ho
Lalia D (m Estes ho
Cole, Edna J (Howe ho
*Francis E far Greenwood
*Virgie L (m Wilson So Paris
*Rose L (m Fogg Gorham, N H
*Chas M cl
156 Pearl, Boston, Mass
Burton A trav agt
Cole, L R far No 1
Nellie G (Dyer ho
Cole, Julia P (Berry No 1
*Etta D (m Tilton ho
586 Pleasant, Worcester, Mass
*Ella F (m Cummings ho
56 Maxwell, Dorchester, Mass
*Lura F (m Trumbull ho
586 Pleasant, Worcester, Mass
Cole, D A mail car No 1
Myra M (Millett ho
Irene M stu
Crockett, Chas W far No 1
Mary L (Mennard ho
George A
Crockett, Esther F (Bearce No 1
*Elizabeth F (m Abbott No 1
Rob't B spool mill op
Georgia A ho
Harry H spool mill op
*Wm H mer Locke's Mills

Lucy J (m Bean ho
*J M cl
101 Warren, Charleston, Mass
Charles W far
Crockett, Robert B spool op
Fannie F (Lurvey ho
Robert C stu
Crockett, Georgia A ho
Crockett, H H
barber & spool op
Mary P (Curtis millinery
Roy E stu
Crooker, Rose R (Whitman
No 1
Crooker, Elbridge mfg
Vertie A (Cummings ho
Homer E stu
Annie E stu
Cummings, R D retd
Sarah E (Cushman ho
Vertie A (m Crooker ho
Cummings, George H R R ser
Josephine V (Whitman
Obery O pl
Frederick W pl
Cummings, Eliza (Bryant
No 2
Henrietta (m Saunders
*Maurice mer
Boston, Mass
*Dana F mer
84 Morning, Portland
*Melroy E W Paris 2
R L far & apple dlr
*Arthur A
84 Morning, Portland
Cummings, R L far & dlr
W Par 2
Flora (Judkins ho
Edna pl
Carroll J pl
Alanson R pl
Currier, Lesmore mill op
Curtis, Solon C far W Par 2
Lottie H (Lervey ho
Ruth M pl
Curtis, Betsy G (Fickett
W Par 2
Curtis, Adelia (Dudley ho
Mary P (m Crockett ho
Curtis, Abbie B (Bemis No 2
Curtis, Danl H far W Par 1
Charles H far
Fannie (m Bowker ho
*Geo L lab W Paris
Curtis, C H far W Par 1
*Inez (Hammond W Par
Merton pl
Cushman, H H far No 1
Minnie A (Swan ho
George W pl
Cushman, Geo L far No 1
Florence E (Davis ho
Edith L stu
Elsa A pl
Claud S pl
Robert G L
Cushman, Frank stone mason

Mabel E (Hayward ho
*Horace H eng
Gorham, N H
*Bertha I (m Welch
Rumford Falls
Arthur F reporter
Helen S stu
Ernest F pl

D

Davis, Albert W far No 1
Davis, Lucretia (Lovejoy
No 1
Davis, Geo R far No 1
Emma M (Davis ho
Davis, Sadie M tr No 1
Davis, Emma M (Brown No 1
Edgar J pl
Davis, Ronello C far No 2
Oneida M (York ho
Owen R pl
Leola O pl
Davis, Emma J ho No 2
Davis, Wm S far W Par 2
Georgia A (Irish ho
George W far
Frank E far
Davis, F E far W Par 2
Annie E (Bryant ho
Ellis M pl
Davis, G W far & mer
W Par 2
Eliza A (Felt ho
Gerald F pl
Gaydon G
Davis, Jos H far W Par 1
Julia E (Irish ho
Elmer B far
Mary E (m Robbins ho
Davis, Elmer B far W Par 1
Annie E (Lurvey ho
Ethelyn E stu
Davis, Martha E (Perham
No 2
Florence E (m Cushman
Ronello C far
Day, Alton L far W Par 2
Ella F (Swan ho
Lillian I pl
Lula D
Day, James M far No 2
Etta (Cole ho
M E (m Billings ho
Day, Wm
fore G T stone quarry
Sarah E (Ayer ho
Alice P milliner
Florence A tr
Day, Lizzie A (Gilbert No 1
*Grace A (m Wing ho
142 Wood, Lewiston
*Annie L (m Barker ho
Auburn
Harold S far
Day, Geo W far No 1
Mary L (McCloud ho
*Geo F mill op

Rumford Falls
*Chas P wood cont
Locke's Mills
*Maud M (m Lapham
Locke's Mills
Herbert E pl
Ernest C pl
Dearborn, John F mfg
Denham, Mary A (Chase
W Par 1
Deshon, Fred F spool mill op
Gertrude M (Cole ho
Deshon, Lucy E (Merrill ho
Dolloff, Louanza (Cole ho
Clarence D druggist
Dudley, Dana O far No 2
Martha E (Kimball ho
Dudley, Ansel mer
Josephine E (Childs ho
*Olevia D (m Bucknam
127 Congress, Portland
Carl C mer
Dudley, Nellie B (Bryant
sum boarders No 1
Dunham, Addie B (Estes ho
*Emma F (m Small
Dixfield
May L (m Bolster ho
*Chas R tel op So Paris
Eva A (m Bryant ho
Dyer, Nellie G (Wood No 1
Grace W pl

E

Edwards, Rachel H (Andrews
W Par 1
Emmons, W S far W Par 2
George N lab
Hannah E ho
Lucy S ho
Herman W pl
Estes, John G far
Bertha ho
Eva M pl
Jessie pl
Lucy A pl
Lewis pl
Estes, Martha (Nelson No 1
Estes, J Otis far No 1
Virginia E (Bicknell ho
Estes, Danl C far No 1
Elliott I far
*Hattie M (m Brown No 1
Maggie E (Dryden ho
Estes, S B car & far No 1
Ella M (Cooledge ho
Arabella (m Buck ho
Josiah M pl
John W pl
Hannah E pl
Forrest E pl
Myrtle pl
Leslie S pl
Estes, H M
fore R R bridge bldr
Lalia D (Cole

F

Farnum, Myrtle A pl Red'g
Farnum, R E far No 1
Janette (Smith ho
*Albert W far Canton
*Farnum, A W far Canton
Flora E (Buck ho
Richard W pl
Farnum, Nathl far No 1
Deborah A (Tracy ho
*Lewis W far
*Mary E (m Dwinells
*Rosie E (m Stevens
Rumford
Clarence O pl
Farnum, Jas H
far & stone cut
Imogene C (Day ho
*Chas H turner
Locke's Mills
Fred C stone cut
Jas D spool mill op
D Webster mill op
Abbie L stu
Hugh S stu
I M pl
Farnum, F C granite wkr
Ida V (McCullum ho
Farnum, Jas D mill op
Susie Maud (Hopkins ho
Ione E pl
Thelma L
Farrer, Consider F car
Mary P (Felt ho
J B s mill op
Farrer, Jerry B s mill op
Alice P (Bowker ho
Florence L pl
Felt, Emily J (Bryant ho
Lena M stenog
Archie D stenog
Felt, Granville far No 2
Felt, G N far No 2
Clara W (Whitman ho
Eliza A (m Davis ho
*Earl G s s op Norway
Albert N far
Fickett, Chas A far W Par 2
Fifield, Wm M lab No 1
Ford, Estella O (Chase ho
Ethel crayon artist
Foster, John B lab
Mabel E (Foster ho
Blanche H pl
Helen J

G

Gordon, Walter mason

H

Hammond, F E retd W Par 1
Hardin, David far No 1
Lulu V (Hatch ho
Floyd L pl
Verna pl

Arlene
Harlow, Chas B far & tr No 2
Marion A pl
Hortense B pl
Zella V pl
Eva N (Whitman ho
Harriman, Minnie
(Hendrickson ho W Par 1
Asa lab
*Mary (m Curtis No Paris
Hathaway, M M No 1
ptr & paper hgr
Clara M (Whitman ho
Kenneth B stu
Rupert K stu
Hathaway, John E No 2
far & mail car
Delia A (Wyman ho
Allen J pl
Lester W pl
Lloyd A
Rayboun B
Hayes, David E sta agt
Ethel F (Kimball ho
Maxwell K
Hayes, Daniel mill op
Heath, Lester stable kpr
Hendrickson, F R far
W Par 1
Georgia L (Whitman ho
Alva R pl
Myrtle L
Hendrickson, Minnie (Hanson
W Par 1
Fred R far
*Matilda P (m Cole
Chicago, Ill
Higgins, Ernest G pl W Par 1
Hill, Charles G spool mkr
*Ellsworth eng
Berlin, N H
Fred C U S ser
Houghton, H F ret'd
*Lena I (m Davis
Los Angeles, Cal
Francena K (Russell ho
Howe, John F far No 2
Edwin E stu
Delphon F pl
Fannie E (Brooks ho
Howe, Isaac far
Sarah (Bryant ho
*Augustine I roofer
3 Bevere, Portland
Wm far & quarry
*Jennie L (m Faulkner
Turner
Etta (m Jacobs ho
Ella (m Powers ho
*Chas R sec hd
Mechanic Falls
Howe, Wm stone cutter
Phylena L (Packard ho
Harry W pl
Arthur A pl
Agnes J pl
Howe, Geo H far W Par 2
Bertha M (Duran ho

Nellie M pl
Mabel O
George R
Hudson, Luvilla F (McCrillis
George F pl

J

Jackson, W M mer No 1
Mary E dr mkr
Maria (Dodge ho
Jacobs, Charles A far
Carrie E (Walker ho
Harry R pl
Eva M pl
Jodre, Chas L far W Par 2
Katherine S (Marston ho
Johnson, Robt G printer
Daisy May (Libby ho
Hazel J stu
Robert pl
Richard S pl
Jones, Wm A far No 1
Abbie H (Cummings ho
Jordan, Geo H lab No 1
Jordan, E A eng
Minnie L (Waterhouse ho
Marjorie E pl
Eleanor M
Lawrence E
Judkins, Geo G far No 1
Edna J (Cole ho
G Howard pl

K

Kimball, Narcissa H (Perham No 2
*Columbus P bk kpr Berlin, N H
*Mary E (m Lamontagne Piermont, N H
Martha E (m Dudley ho
Kimball, C V far W Par 1
Emma L (Wilson ho
Lula B (m Beck ho
Mildred F (m Reeves ho
Leon H far
Alice C pl
*Wilfred W stu 85 Spring, Portland
Kinsman, Sarah S (Trowbridge
*Geo H sea capt Boston, Mass
Fred L far
Kinsman, Fred L far No 1
Georgie (Whitman ho
Beatrice pl
Koch, C C clerg

L

Lappin, Evilena (Bacon ho W Par 2
Roger C pl
Helen pl
Libby, Jas W spool mill op

Jennie M (Morgan ho
Stephen H spool mill op
Daisy M (m Johnson ho
Libby, Stephen H mill op
Libby, Harry C far No 2
Littlefield, J C far No 1
Fannie (Peverley ho
Florence H pl
Raynor pl
Littlefield, Horace E far
Littlefield, E N far W Par 1
Cora S (Pratt ho
Lurvey, Fred mill op
Lurvey, O F far W Par 2
Annie E (m Davis ho
Fred mill op

M

Mann, Lewis M mfg W Par
Mann, Edwin J mfg W Par
Martin, Geo B lab No 1
Luvilla F (Hudson ho
McAlester, Louise (Hill ho
Alison V coachman
Albert N coachman
Eva seamstress
McCrillis, Emily E (Brown No 1
Georgia E (m Buck ho
*Nellie A (m Roberts ho
Luvilla F (m Martin ho
McInis, Chas W far No 1
Florice (m Brooks ho
Kenneth C pl
Mildred
Meader, Lizzie (Larkins boarding house
*Lena M (m Cummings Locke's Mills
Millett, A I far No 2
Bertha A (Stevens ho
Millett, F M lumb No 1
*Herbert C attend insane hospital Worcester, Mass
*Lizzie E (m Rayner Worcester, Mass
*Rose L (m Smith ho Melrose Highlands, Mass
*Lineus M lab Oxford
*Quincy A mason Worcester, Mass
*Edw A stu Worcester, Mass
*Robt P lab Oxford
Harold V
Lottie O
Roland C
Millett, C C mach & far
Frank lumb
Sarah J (Thurlow ho
Millett, Rollin C pl No 1
Millett, Lottie O pl No 1
Morrill, C L far W Par 1
Ella L (Morrill ho
Morse, William S mill op
Capitola (Buck ho

Bertha M
Morse, F M livery stable
Emily G (Coffren ho
Mountford, Louanza (Dolloff
*Grace I 229 Franklin
Boston, Mass

N

Newell, Frank L mill op
Blanche M (Powers ho
Elmer L
Lester K
Newell, Sockalexis F No 2
Liza D (Powers ho
Laura F pl
Lydia B
Linwood C
Noyes, Horace F far
Addie E (Emmons ho
Winfield H far
Harry F sec hd R R
Fred C lab
Grace E table wk
Alba W mill op
Georgia A pl
Hiram O pl
Noyes, Chas E far No 2
Ethel G (Wilson ho
Charles W
Noyes, Eli M far No 2
Louisa (Adams ho
Effie G (m Smith ho
Charles E far

O

Ordway, Hannah C (Besse
No 1
Ordway, Silvia M pl

P

Pearson, Wm H far No 1
Mary E (Moore ho
Perham, Chas H lab No 2
Cora A (Taylor ho
Delbert H lab
Henry A lab
Harry L pl
G Gertie pl
Stella L ho
Perham, Sylvania millinery
Perham, K G hotel cl
*Lee A cl Pittsfield
*Clifford G cl Portland
*Geo H elec R R ser
Boston, Mass
Sidney M lab
Dora M (m Sylvester
*Albert far
So Framingham, Mass
*Jennie table girl
Congress Sq, Portland
*Sadie I (m Nutting, Cooks
Willie S lab
Perham, Clarence lab
Perham, Kilbon far No 2
Sarah J (Bryant ho

*Clara J (m Chase
20 Beacon Hill Av
Lynn, Mass
*Edwin R expressman
22 Marshall, Somerville, Mass
*Mabel L (m Bumpus
Turner
George Q far
Perham, Geo Q far
Cora J (Sanborn ho
Mildred C pl
Edwin B pl
Peverley, D D carg mkr
Effie F (Halkett ho
*Fannie R (m Littlefield
Locke's Mills
*Lottie E (m Eliott
Berwick
Edward D stu
Pike, Edward H No 2
information withheld
Powers, J D quarry & far
Ella (Howe ho
Winfield R pl
Powers, James W retd
Lydia C (Day ho
John D quarryman
Guy H mill op
*Lucinda F
(m Elphinstone, Bethel, Vt
Liza D (m Newell ho
Blanche M (m Newell ho
James A quarryman
Powers, Guy H mill op
Hattie A (Noyes ho
Ola Myrtle pl
Lydia May pl
Powers, James quarryman
Pratt, D W far Red'g
*Lottie M (m Moore
Madrid
Linnie B pl
Cora R (Robbins ho
Pratt, H E lab W Par 1
Hannah F (Young ho
*Ida A (m Lock Norway
Robert E lab
Herbert E pl
Abbie A pl
Pratt, W E
under'tkr & embalmer
Bertha M (Colburn ho
I L pl
Procter, Sarah E Whitmore
No 2
Fred D far
Bertie L (m Whitman ho

R

Reemts, Robert B mill op
Lizzie O (Stevens ho
Reeves, John lab W Par 1
Mildred F (Kimball ho
Coleman T
Ricker, Arthur C blk
Flora (Stevens ho
Richmond, A A far No 1

Sylvania P (Spofford ho
Dana L pl
Ruie pl
Lulu C pl
Birdie
Mary E
Robbins, Cora R (Davis Red'g
D H s s op
Lizzie M pl
Robbins, I W far Red'g
Anna M (Bowker ho
*Bessie E (m Swan ho
Livermore Falls
Oliver A pl
Erwin R pl
Robbins, O W far W Par 1
Etta M (Davis ho
Rowe, Lee M s mill op
Mabel H (Perkins ho
Rowe, Augustus L far
Lucinda D (Pray ho
Rowe, Stephen retd
Augustus L far
Elizabeth R (m Whitman
Rowe, Dan'l A far Red'g
Frances E (Dunn ho
*L Dora (m Farnum ho
Rumford Falls
Rowe, A D far Red'g
Augusta E (Farrar ho
Russ, Henry H far No 1
Alice J (Cotton ho
*Mary E (m Lapham ho
Rumford Falls
*Stella E (m Lessions
Milton Pl
*Walter I s s op Norway
Albert H car
Russ, Samuel L far No 1
Sybil J (Felt ho
Mabel I (m Adams ho
Russ, Albert H car
Elizabeth S (Sweetser ho
Russell, Abbie M (Billings ho
Russell, Moses M far W Par 1
Russell, E S casket mill op
Julia F (Goodwin ho
Ryan, Jerry lab No 2
Ryerson, J R far & jeweler No 1
*Albertena (Lander
So Par 1
Ralph E pl
Glora pl
Hartwick pl
Albert pl

S

Sanburn, O H W Par 1
Rose (Jacobs ho
Cora J (m Perham ho
*Ella M s s op Auburn
Harry N lab
Seams, Joseph retd
*Joseph Jr New York
Newirth A dr mkr
*Wm lab Locke's Mills

*Ada M (m Moriarty ho
690, 3d, Fall River, Mass
Albert lab
Peter lab
Annie (m Staples ho
Sheeran, Amanda M (Dudley boarding house
Silver, A T far W Par 1
Arvilla M (Benson ho
Harry T pl
Flora A pl
William S pl
Eva M pl
Charles S
Edith C
Smith, Wilfred J far No 2
Effie G (Noyes ho
Charles E pl
Gertrude M
Staples, Della A (Staples ho
*Mary E (m Swift W Par
Staples, Annie (Seams ho
Margie pl
Mary pl
Howard
Stevens, Laura B (Andrews
*John E mer Rumford Falls
Annie Laura (m Cole ho
Lydia L (m Rankin Mechanic Falls
George L mer
Birdena M (m Mosher Rumford Falls
Stevens, Lizzie C (Lovejoy ho
Harry S pl
Joseph A pl
Arthur B pl
Stevens, Fred T eng
*Carrie S (m Mann Athol, Mass
*Elizabeth A tr Newton, Mass
*Grace S (m Briggs ho W Par
Mary H tr
Stevens, Geo E far No 2
Ida M (Fow ho
Maud I tr
Bertha A (m Millett ho
Swan, Ned I harness mkr
Ada M (Briggs ho
Swan, Chas H mill op
Ida A (Swan ho
Alice M pl
Henry O
Mildred O
Swan, G C far W Par
A A far
John A far
*Marilla M (m Ray ho Portland
Swan, D G harness mkr
Sarah E (Bacon ho
Minnie A (m Cushman ho
Sweetser, S G eng
Ella S (Swan ho
Frank H car

Leah S mill op
Elizabeth S (m Sweetser

T

Thomas, Nellie J (m Titus ho
Lenora E tr
Thompson, Edward J far
Carrie J (Wade ho
Amy K stu
Duke E W pl
Thurlow, Sarah J (Rowe ho
*Amos pulp op
Mechanic Falls
Joseph H far
Johnny far
Nellie (m—— ho
Thurlow, Joseph H lab No 1
Josephine A (Picard ho
Benjamin J
Thurlow, Fred A far No 2
Winnie A (Rich ho
Lulu M pl
Alfred H pl
Bernal F pl
Erland A
Thurlow, E E far & cream col
W Par 1
Rosie M (Berry ho
Marion C pl
Lelia E pl
Ronald E pl
Christine B
Malcomb S
Titus, J A butcher & mer
Nellie J (Thomas ho
Leroy W butcher & mer
*Merton C teleg op So Par
Trask, L C mach & far No 1
Abbie R (Hobbs ho

V

Verrill, Fred far W Par 1
Verrill, Fred C far No 2
Viabele E (Bicknell ho
Gertrude H pl
Lenwood A pl
Evelyn E
Lewis O

W

Wage, Carrie J (Kellum ho
*Daisy M (m Wilson ho
Davis, West Va
*Grace L (m Atwood
West 120th, New York
*Elsie M (m Jackson
Milton Pl
Wheeler, E F far W Par 1
Sarah A (Ingham ho
*Chas E s mill op Bethel
*Lizzie E (m Morgan
Bethel
*Eva R (m Spearin
Norway
*Robt I s s op Derry, N H

*Eliza E (m Drake Norway
*Emma (m Records So Paris
*Nellie (m Goodwin Norway
Whitman, C H far No 2
George S far
*Wm H far No Paris
*Laforest W far No Paris
Frank E far
Fred A lab
Elvern E far
*Robt R elec cond Worcester, Mass
Velma J (m Cummings ho
Lulu M (m Billings ho
Pearl E ho
Whitman, G A far & mach No 2
Clara M (m Hathaway ho
*Gerald B musician Haverhill, Mass
*Fannie E (m Ross Rumford Falls
Genevieve I L tr & ho
Whitman, Abbie ho
Whitman, Eleanor (Bryant
Whitman, C R pension agt & J of P
*Chas H livery Livermore Falls
*L Edmond lab Rumford Falls
—— E(m Kinsman ho
Whitman, Fred H far No 1
Ida M (Hemminway ho
Arthur B pl
Gevna H
Whitman, Elon retd No 1
Lucy (Swan ho
George W
*Jacob F far Otisfield
*Oliver G far Greenwood
Reuben M R R ser
*Chas W far Gilead
*Almon M teleg Ayers, Mass
*Ronela E teleg Danversport, Mass
Whitman, Geo W far No 1
Georgia A (Brown ho
*B G far No 1
Fred H far No 1
Whitman, R M sec fore R R
Wallace H sec hd
Fremont E far
Alma (Hickey ho
Whitman, F E far No 2
Bertie L (Procter ho
Alma E pl
Whitman, E E far No 2
Inez D (Casey ho
Whitman, Geo S far No 2
Emma E (Brown ho
Whitman, Geo L far No 2
Mary S (Verrill ho
Mabel I (m Wilson ho

*Rosie E (m Perkins Ridlonville
Eva N (m Harlow ho
Georgia L (m Hendrickson
Zilla V pl
Wilson, Geo F far No 2
Mabel I (Whitman ho
Clifton R far
Pergy G lab
Faye O pl
Wilson, P H stone cut
Alma J (Woodman ho
Iva D pl
Myrtle pl
Pearl
Benjamin W
Infant
Winslow, Charles F retd
Wing, E G cl & far
Londuska P (Billings ho
Effie L (m Rogers ho
Wing, Perley E stone mason
Hersheal pl
Wyman, F L mer W Par 2
Mary A (Perkins ho
*Perley M far W Par 2
*Cora D (m Lurvey ho
W Par 2

Y

York, George H far No 1
Susan M (Stevens ho
*Leora A (m Farnum ho
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